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Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven weeks to the line. Ten cent per line, ten cents. Wm. C. Leavitt.  
Mrs. G. D. Swift does all kinds of millinery work. Old hats and bonnets made over at short notice at her home, 24 Paris Street, Norway, Me.  
New soft shirts for spring and summer. Large assortment of colorings. Many extensive patterns \$1.00, 75 and 50 cents at the Blue Stores of F. H. Noyes Co.  
A Universal ball bearing bench wringer, two galvanized tubs, one was board, for six dollars at Wm. C. Leavitt's.  
Have you paper hanging to be done? If so, speak to or write to E. L. Kidder, Norway, Me., or H. J. Bangs.  
Lambson & Hubbard hats, always reliable, always please. F. H. Noyes Co., agents for Norway and Paris.  
To let, two furnished rooms. Two stables for horses. Boat for sale. Inquire at 20 Water street.  
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The long comfortable rain or shine coats, the nobby short top coats are almost indispensable for your comfort. It's easy to find one to please you at the Blue Stores of F. H. Noyes Co.  
I am prepared to sell grass seed at the lowest price for cash; 99 pure; also seed oats, re-cleaned, barley, spring wheat, red cob corn for seed. A. C. McCutcheon, 11  
Suits to suit everybody. Fine clothes they are at F. H. Noyes Co.  
Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, 50 cents per setting. University of Maine breed. Don S. Smith, Oak Avenue.  
We are still selling 15 large sweet oranges for 25 cents at E. F. Bicknell's.  
Large line of valises at L. M. Lunt's.  
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Latest novelties in ladies' wear at L. M. Lunt's, South Paris.  
McCall Magazines, fashion sheets and patterns at Hubbs Variety Store.  
New line of black dress skirts at Thomas Smiley's.  
Harry L. Horne's collie dog has disappeared. A suitable reward will be given for his return. See ad.  
If you intend to paint your buildings look at the Universalist church edifice. Painted four years ago with Monarch paint. Wm. G. Leavitt sells it.  
S. W. & Z. S. Prince's and Thomas Smiley's dry goods stores close all day Fast day.  
New rain coats at Thomas Smiley's.  
Have you any pipes that need fixing? It is my business to fix them. I put in bath tubs and water closets. Call on or address L. M. Longley, Norway, Me.  
Walter S. Buck will pay \$300 and board for a farm hand for one year's work. See ad.  
Curd cheese at Bangs' store.  
A ball bearing wringer two dollars and thirty cents, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.  
Carload of horses coming from Iowa, will arrive Saturday. Also a lot of wood horses. H. F. & E. E. Andrews.  
Large line of ladies and misses suits at Thomas Smiley's.  
Money can be saved this month if you want to buy a range at Wm. C. Leavitt's.  
Poultry netting staples at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

**NORWAY AND VICINITY**  
Permanent Streets Can Be Made.  
It is estimated that about \$2,000 per year is expended on the streets in the Village Corporation. Allowing it to be only \$1,000—about half the money raised by town—wouldn't the corporation be as well off in a term of years if \$15,000 was raised by loan at 3 1/2 per cent. and intelligently expended in making some permanent streets and having the streets to use during the time we are paying for them?  
Interest charges would be \$525, repairs and maintenance \$750, and the balance to apply on loan.  
It would be some years in paying up the loan but if this money was carried out we'd have good streets and have something to show for our money, and the expense would be no more than it has been for the past twenty years, with nothing very inviting to show for streets.  
Why not try it? Why not advance the money? It can be done. We are spending money enough, but haven't started right. Let's get started right.  
If interested, fill out the blanks sent you in the Corporation Reports and mail or hand them to G. L. Curtis. Do it now.  
Mrs. Dorcas Barrows, who has been ill, is better.  
Job Stirk is treating his house to a new coat of shingles.  
Mrs. C. L. Knight has been sick with an attack of heart trouble.  
Mrs. Marcia Ella Henry was at her father's J. Stone's, Saturday.  
Elbridge Brooks of Bates college was with his parents, Rev. C. A. Brooks and wife, over Sunday.  
The Kehekans are to initiate seven candidates this Friday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served in the hall by the young ladies.  
"Every Day Religion" will be the topic at the Y. C. U. meeting, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. There will be special music. Charles F. Ridlon, leader.  
The senior class of the Norway High school have already engaged the talent for their course of entertainments for 1904-1905. These courses have proved very popular and those this next season surely ought to be. Carmen's Italian Boys will give the entertainment in October; John Thomas Concert Co. in November; the Impersonators, G. Paul Smith and Willard Gorton, in December; Marco, the Prince of Magic, who was so well received in this last season's course, in January.

**Norway Municipal Court.**  
Friday, Edward A. Smith of Oxford was before the court charged with the larceny of a sum of money from Gertrude Davis. The evidence was not strong to hold him and he was discharged.  
Monday, Charles West of Norway was arraigned upon a charge of intoxication. A jail sentence was imposed, which with a sentence of sixty days which had been suspended brought forward means at least ninety days behind the bars.  
Wednesday, Allie Downs, arrested by Deputy Cross, was tried on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretences. He obtained a coat of L. Sanborn & Co., giving them an order on B. F. Spinnery & Co. As no money was due him the order was N. G. He was fined \$10 and costs amounting to about \$12 and was committed to jail for non-payment.

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**He Persevered and Got A Suit of Clothes.**  
A young man apparently about 18 years of age called at H. B. Foster's, last Saturday afternoon, and was fitted to a suit of clothes. The suit had to be pressed and some little changes made in it. The young man claimed to work in the shoe factory and said he would come in and get the clothes and pay for them as soon as he got his pay at the factory, which would be a little after 3 o'clock. He came in considerably before the stated time and wanted to take the clothes, saying he was to take a bath and dress up and would bring the money in as soon as he got it that night.  
Mr. Foster concluded to keep the clothes until he got the money, though the customer told a good story and said his name was Cummings and his home was in Buckfield.  
The young man immediately struck for the Blue Store and tried on a suit. Though they were not a perfect fit, he was willing to accept them as he had them on and would pay for them as soon as he got his pay at the factory. The Blue Store people didn't want to let a suit out that wasn't paid for and insisted on putting them in shape and holding them until he brought the money. The clerk was threatened and the suit pressed and was made ready for him, but he did not come in to get them.  
The boy went into V. W. Hills' and bought a watch on his Saturday's shopping trip. He started in to buy an \$18.00 watch but concluded to take a \$5.00 one. He gave his name as Henry A. Bemis and claimed to be working at the shoe factory, and would pay Mr. Hills that night as soon as he got his pay. Mr. Hills thought he would keep the watch until he brought in the money and he has not seen the boy since.  
Not discouraged in the least, the persistent gentleman went to South Paris and was fitted to a suit at the Blue Store in that village. Here he told a different story, saying he worked at the sled factory and would give them an order for the clothes. His name here was changed to Russell. Mr. Pike thought the sled factory before he parted with the goods. The telephone soon revealed the fact that no such person worked at the sled factory. Mr. Russell seemed very much surprised and said they owed him two weeks' work and that he would go to the factory and get the order and come back and take the clothes.  
He started in the direction of the sled factory, but was soon seen to enter the clothing store of J. F. Plummer and in due time come out with a bundle under his arm. His perseverance had been rewarded and he had got the much desired clothes and apparently was happy. He was seen to disappear up the street that leads to the covered bridge to Paris Hill.  
Mr. Plummer was interviewed by telephone and said he had accepted an order on the sled factory. The young man told such a straightforward story in regard to himself, the work at the factory and his boarding place that Mr. Plummer accepted it and let him have the clothes.  
The sled factory office did not know the man and were positive they owed him nothing, and Mr. Plummer was told the clothes, but the young man's perseverance was rewarded—he had the clothes.  
Mr. Plummer is now trying to locate the persevering young man to recover the clothes and teach him a lesson.

**Village Corporation Meeting.**  
Moderator—A. S. Kimball.  
Clerk—G. L. Curtis.  
Assessors—A. J. Stearns, C. S. Akers, H. L. Horne.  
Treasurer—G. L. Curtis.  
Chief Engineer—G. F. Hathaway.  
1st Assistant—J. P. Callahan.  
2d Assistant—Y. P. Richardson.  
Collector—Geo. A. Morse, 2 per cent.  
Fire Police—G. A. Morse, J. P. Edwards, S. G. Hatch, A. O. Sargent, G. E. Walker, H. E. Mixer.  
Appropriations—\$4,200.  
There were about sixty voters at the Opera House on Monday evening when the corporation clerk, G. L. Curtis, called the annual meeting to order at a little after seven o'clock and read the warrant and his return thereon. Under the first article, A. S. Kimball was unanimously chosen moderator and was sworn in by the clerk.  
G. L. Curtis was elected clerk without opposition and qualified by taking the oath.  
It was voted to elect the board of assessors, treasurer, fire engineers and collector on one ballot. There was no opposition to the officers of last year, viz.: G. A. Morse, J. P. Edwards, A. O. Sargent, S. G. Hatch, G. E. Walker, H. E. Mixer.  
Under article four it was voted to pay members of the fire department as follows: 50c for each meeting, \$1 for each fire, clerks of the companies \$1 for each meeting or fire.  
Voted that taxes become due and payable on Nov. 1. Voted to charge interest on all taxes unpaid after Jan. 1, at six per cent and after May 1, at ten per cent.  
Voted to raise \$500 towards extinguishment of the corporation debt.  
Voted to choose a committee of five to revise the corporation By-laws. This committee was chosen from the floor as follows:  
A. S. Kimball, G. F. Hathaway, H. B. Foster, J. W. Sanborn, A. J. Stearns, Y. P. Richardson.  
Under article 9 in relation to locating an electric light on Pike Hill, Eben Shackley at whose request the article was put in told of the need. There is a sharp bend in the highway near George Merrill's and on the opposite a high knoll cuts off any of light from the lamp by F. P. Stone's from the highway above Merrill's. As a light would be the only benefit Mr. Shackley can receive from the corporation, as his house is too elevated for the water service to reach in case of fire, it was thought, he ought to have it and the corporation voted to establish a light between the spring in the ledge above Allard & Moulton's and Mr. Shackley's.  
The tenth article being an alternative to article nine and in relation to moving the light by F. P. Stone's so as to shine up the hill was passed over.  
Article 11 in relation to finishing a room in the basement of No. 3, hose house was passed over.  
Voted to raise \$4,200 for all expenses of the corporation for the year.  
Adjourned after a half-hour session.

**Norway Rural Schools.**  
Schools began in the rural districts, Monday, with teachers as follows:  
Center—Kate M. Towne.  
Yager—Bessie B. Towne.  
Lakeside—Elizabeth L. Linnell.  
Table Corner—Minnie A. Cox.  
Chapel—Josephine P. Shedd.  
Hill—Mrs. L. M. Frost.  
Next Monday, Apr. 18, Marguerite Finney will begin the Millettville summer term, and the Swift Corner school will open as soon as a teacher is secured. The Pike Hill school will commence as soon as the roads are sufficiently dry, probably not before Apr. 23, with Alice O. Gammon as teacher.  
Mrs. W. A. Bicknell is working for the Prince sisters in their dressmaking department.  
F. D. Waldo, local solicitor for the Metropolitan Insurance Co. left town last Saturday, and has not been seen since.  
Rev. Charles R. Tenney announced Sunday that he would remain as pastor of the Elm Street Universalist church at Auburn.  
John A. Roberts has been in Orono this week attending a meeting of the trustees of the Maine State University of which he is a member.  
Wm. C. Leavitt was fifty years old last Wednesday, and the event was observed by F. H. Noyes and wife and F. W. Sanborn and wife spending the evening at his residence.  
If you can work on shoes there is no need of loafing—call at the office of B. F. Spinnery & Co.—20 experienced and experienced girls can find work in the stitching room.  
If we don't need sewers there is no sense in putting them in. To do it will cost a pile of money. If it is to be done ought the expense to be borne by the town or corporation? Fill out the blank that was sent you in the Corporation Report.  
Walter Hutchinson, who has been employed by Edith Smith in the shoe store before and after school, Saturdays and vacations, has entered the employ of A. L. Sanborn & Co., under the same arrangement. Abner Mann takes his place at Smith's.  
In the ADVERTISER recently there has been mention made of an early pension paper of Revolutionary soldiers. Earlier than any yet mentioned is one in the possession of Mrs. E. E. Andrews, which is the granting of a pension to her grandfather, Nehemiah Packard and bears the date of 1818.  
**NEWRY.**  
Amos Frost is working in the mill at the Corner.  
John Allen is attending the convention at Portland this week.  
Ell Stearns and wife visited last Sunday at Walter Foster's.  
Walter Powers is in Portland this week buying stock for his shop.  
Charles Powers and his brother, A. H. Powers are at work for C. A. Baker, Sunday River, setting his new boiler.

**SOUTH PARIS.**  
**Republican Caucus.**  
The caucus of Republican voters was held Saturday afternoon at 2. Franklin Maxim was chosen chairman and Geo. M. Atwood secretary. Delegates to the District convention in Lewiston, Apr. 18: Alfred H. Jackson, Geo. W. Cole, Arthur L. Mann, Alton C. Wisceler, Nelson G. Elder.  
To the State convention, Portland, Apr. 14:  
Arthur E. Forbes, John L. Marshall, George B. Morton, L. L. Powers, W. C. Stearns.  
**Teachers of Rural Schools.**  
The following are the teachers of the schools commencing Apr. 18:  
Paris Hill Grammar—Lucinda Field.  
Paris Hill Primary—Una P. Taylor.  
West Paris Grammar—Olive Sweet.  
West Paris Primary—Carrie A. Gray.  
Weber—Mabel Stearns.  
Riscoe—Marjorie Penley.  
Porter—Ethel Howe.  
North Paris—Roy E. Cole.  
Tuell—Inez Swift.  
Partridge—Grace Dudley.  
Hollow—Edna Curtis.  
Whitemore—Helen Cole.  
Mountain—Jessica Curtis.  
Table—Frances King.  
King—Ruth Stearns.  
Mrs. J. A. Jackson has returned from her visit to Boston.  
Joseph Lyman of East Livermore is a guest at L. J. Monk's.  
Hon. Jesse M. Libby of Mechanic Falls was in town Thursday.  
William L. Blood has returned from Augusta and is at Rawson Holman's.  
The ladies of the Baptist church give a social in the vestry, Thursday evening.  
Arthur B. Talbot has purchased the farm of H. W. Oleson, south of the village.  
The Paris Library Association has received \$100 from William Deering of Chicago for the purchase of books.  
H. D. McAllister has returned from the hospital in Lewiston, where he has been several weeks. He is recovering well.  
The school census of Paris just completed gives 870 persons between 5 and 21. This is a substantial increase over last year.  
Rev. H. A. Clifford is moving into the M. E. parsonage. His family consists of wife and three children, the two older being in college.  
Mizpah Assembly, Pythian Sisterhood, will entertain Lake Assembly of Norway and the Oxford Assembly Thursday evening. The first degree will be worked and a banquet served.  
E. E. Lane of Upton visited his brother-in-law, L. E. Evans, several days last week. He has had charge of the lumbering operations of the Blanchard lumber company in the Success region.  
There was a good attendance at the rainbow supper given at the Congregational vestry Thursday evening. A program of vocal and instrumental music was given, concluding with a cantata, "The Rainbow Prince."  
F. Wendell Rounds, who graduates from Bates in June, has accepted a situation in the University Preparatory school of Chicago, a private school which fits for Yale and Harvard. He has charge of the English department and is athletic instructor.  
A birthday dinner for three generations was given by Mrs. L. L. Powers, Thursday. The three who were honored on the occasion were Mrs. Powers' father, G. N. Porter, who was 76 years old that day, her brother, William A. Porter, who was 41, and her son, Gordon Powers, who completed his first year.  
Several gifts of statuary have been placed in the assembly room of the high school. They include a bas relief of the triumph of Alexander, a statue of Diana, and an equestrian statue of Coltoni, the original of which is in St. Mark's square in Venice. These are gifts of Mrs. Josiah Burnham of Portland. The class of '96 has given a statue of David, and busts of Washington and Lincoln have also been donated the school.  
Henry Oleson has sold his farm to Arthur Talbot.  
Mrs. W. L. Blood is moving into C. F. Brett's house.  
Ed Knight is home from Auburn for a stay of some time.  
Grace Bennett has gone to Dover, N. H., where she has a fine position as teacher in the public schools.  
Mrs. May Edwards, Ronello Edwards and Vernal Edwards and wife went to East Otisfield, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Kemp.  
A prohibition caucus to choose delegates to district and state conventions will be held at the home of Benjamin Sweet, Western avenue, Saturday evening, April 16, at 7.30.  
The season of 1904 opened at the Pooduck Athletic Grounds this week with a hotly contested series of croquet games between the miller and the grocer. The grocer won both of them.  
Sometime Sunday night, the ice took out a portion of the dam across the Little Androscoggin above the Main street bridge. The missing section is about 25 feet in length, and takes some few feet in depth from the cap or top of the dam. It occurred at the center immediately behind the big rock.

**WEST PARIS.**  
W. E. Ricker is away on a visit.  
Dr. Sturgess of Auburn was in town Tuesday.  
Mrs. S. T. White has returned from Lewiston.  
Barry Locke came home from Portland Monday, sick with the mumps.  
Gertrude Allen has finished working at Dr. Yates' and gone home to help her mother this summer.  
David Emmons and family have got moved into their new home on corner of Main and Church streets.  
Mrs. Chas. Deane of South Paris visited her father and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. O. K. Yates, a few days this week.  
Lizzie Ryerson came home from Lewiston last Thursday night to visit her father and other relatives here for a few days before returning to school in Milan.  
George Proctor's family are going to move into the old post-office, which C. F. Ricker has had moved on Pioneer street. The repairs on it will soon be done.  
The spring millinery opening at Mrs. Farnum's is Friday and Saturday of this week. You are invited to be present. Mrs. Farnum has a large line of stylish and seasonable goods and sells them at reasonable prices.  
A new telephone booth has been put into the drug store of S. T. White, which will make the telephone system of this place much more convenient and pleasant for the general public. Chas. Adams of Norway constructed the booth and C. H. Deighton and Ed Dyer of the Norway Eastern Telephone Central put it in place.

**County Attorney E. C. Park.** See page 4.  
**Mrs. Frances E. Cummings.**  
Mrs. C. B. Cummings died Friday morning at her late home on Main street. Since the operation of Monday she had been improving but complications set in and though every possible effort was put forth that could be made it was of no avail.  
Mrs. Cummings was one of the finest ladies of our community. Every good work found in her a friend and staunch supporter. In charitable work she was always foremost and those in need were blessed by her helping hand. Her interest also was deep in associations to promote intelligence and culture and in the work of her church and in social life was active. Best of all, however in her home life, her industry and energy were great, and her family was faithfully and earnestly ministered to, for she was the embodiment of the trust and best type of motherhood. She was a member of the Universalist church and the U. O. G. C. She was a daughter of Moses Staples of Bethel and was born in that town in 1835. In January, 1861, she married Charles B. Cummings, who died in January, 1899. They had a family of five sons and one daughter. The oldest son, Charles S., died in 1896; now living are Stephen B., George L., and Edwin S., who are married and reside in the village, Fred H., and Fannie W., wife of George H. Cullinan, who resides at home. The sons conduct the large lumber, grain and furniture business under the name of C. B. Cummings & Sons.  
Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 1, at her late home. It was a very simple service conducted by Rev. Caroline E. Angell of the Universalist church. A host of floral pieces, ranging from simple bouquets to some very elaborate and handsome ones were tokens of the esteem in which she was held here. Burial was beside her husband at Pine Grove cemetery.  
**Can We Afford a Library Building?**  
If it costs you \$500 per year to maintain your house, and you own no house, would you accept the gift of a house and agree to maintain it the same way you are now doing?  
It seems you would be in a house at no more expense than what it is now costing. It looks that way to us. May be we are wrong. If wrong, set us right. Rent costs us now \$120 per year and we could save something out of that and over the cost of keeping the building in shape.  
Should we own a library building or pay rent? It's for the citizens to say. It's the people who decide and not the Norway Board of Trade.  
Fill out the blanks. Fill them out as you honestly believe—if in doubt investigate—but fill them out as you feel is right and proper for yourself.  
J. F. Bolster was in Boston on business Saturday.  
Mrs. Whitney Buck has been very ill with grip.  
Thomas Wheeler is employed by C. B. Cummings & Sons.  
Clement Ward and family were at Mechanic Falls over Sunday.  
Mrs. Albert R. Whitman is on the sick list with bronchial troubles.  
The Barton Reading Club meets with Mrs. George Horst this Thursday.  
C. H. Adams has been confined to the house a few days with the grip.  
Mrs. Sarah E. Morse is slowly recovering from a severe attack of grip.  
Mrs. James Kelley has been very sick with gastric fever, but is recovering.  
Leo M. Watson and wife of Auburn were in Norway, Friday and Saturday.  
H. G. Dinsmore is pleased to entertain his friends with his new Edison graphophone.  
Harold E. Beane is home spending a vacation from his teaching in North-haven.  
Mrs. Maria Glover of South Paris is quite sick at the home of her brother, Whitney Buck.  
A good map of this county costs you 25 cents. A better one for 50 cents. Address this office.  
Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Thurston were called to Errol, N. H., by the sudden death of his father.  
Mrs. Fred Hersey of North Norway is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Farnham.  
Mrs. Alden E. Day and little daughter Cora of West Paris are visiting Mrs. Emily A. Whitman of this place.  
G. F. Small and grandson, Gerald McAllister of East Stoneham are visiting his daughter, Mrs. Percy H. Nevers.  
Look through the wants on pages 3 and 5. You have wants. Others have them, too. Read them and write or see the parties.  
Emma McCutcheon has returned from Portland, where she has completed a course in bookkeeping and banking in Gray's business college. She will return in a short time to pursue a course in shorthand and typewriting.



## SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Albert J. Stearns, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Walter L. Gray, H. P.; Geo. E. Tubbs, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. Albert J. Stearns, Ven. Pat.; Morton L. Kimball, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 15, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. C. S. Libby, N. G.; Chas. S. Akers, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Edwin H. Allen, G. P.; M. L. Kimball, Sec'y.

FR. ROSE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Minnie C. Bangs, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

PENNSYLVANIA LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. Thomas L. Bartlett, O. G.; M. L. Kimball, E. of R. & S.

LAKE ASSEMBLY, No. 33, P. E. M., meets in Pythian Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Mrs. T. L. Heath, O. G.; M. L. Kimball, E. of R. & S.

LAKE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. O. P., meets in G. A. R. hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mabel P. Warren, Warden; Ada A. Libby, Secretary.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 51, G. A. R., meets at G. A. R. hall, the first Tuesday evening of each month. O. Richardson, Commander; Fredland Young, Adjutant; S. A. Bennett, Q. M.

OXFORD CASTLE, No. 2, K. G. E., meets in Ryerson Hall, first and third Thursday evenings of each month. D. M. French, N. G.; G. L. Curtis, M. of R.

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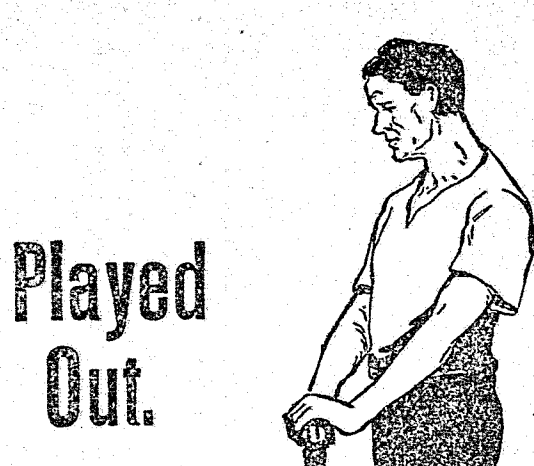
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## HEARTS By HALLIE ERMINE RIVES

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Rolph called and threw the gold coin he had drawn from his pocket with a flourish. "The king's head" rose a score of voices as it fell. "Mr. Rolph wins."

"Oh, dear!" exclaimed Betsy in great vexation.

"I really believe," said Anne, with heat, "that you want that man to win."

"Weren't you just now wishing you were a man so Mr. Rolph shouldn't?" retorted Betsy.

M. Armand had drawn forth a wallet from his pocket and lifted out the sum. "Fortune beams upon you, monsieur," he smiled.

"Yes, yes. Shall we have one more throw? And double or quits maybe, monsieur? Unless you deem the stake overhigh!"

"High!" said Rolph, with a growl. "Double or quits it is. Eighty pounds against your lost forty and the wench. But, mind you, this one throw ends it. D'you hear?"

The other tossed. There was a shout as the coin descended, for it lodged in the brim of a spectator's hat and could not be counted. At the next trial it rolled in a spiral and finally stood edgewise in a crack of the wharf flooring.

A third time the young Frenchman sent it spinning. It twinkled in the sunlight, fell, bounded sideways, the crowd parting before it, rolled across the open space and toppled over a few feet from Anne. Instinctively she leaned far out of the coach and looked.

"It shows the arms!" she cried in spite of herself. The coin had fallen on its obverse side.

"Fortune has turned," the secretary observed easily. "It appears, monsieur, that the servant is mine. The remainder of the stake, if you please."

"Twice but his assurance he wavered with," snarled Rolph. "It will not hold. What does this sorry raiment with thus much money, gentlemen? He does not own so much. I dispute the bet!"

"And Mr. Rolph calls himself a gentleman!" Anne said disgustedly.

"M. Armand looked at his antagonist with undisguised contempt, and murmurs of the assembly, who loved fair play, were so unmistakable that Rolph drew out bills and indenture with a curse and drove off with a black look.

Anne watched him go, a curl on her lip. When she turned at Betsy's exclamation it was first to be aware that all on the wharf were looking her way, and then that the young Frenchman, with the redemption woman following him, was approaching her.

Before she had recovered from her astonishment he was bowing low. "Mademoiselle," he said, "will pardon the liberty I take in addressing her?"

She bowed coldly, half startled.

"Fate," he went on, "has made me the owner of this servant, for whom, being no landholder, I have scant use. She speaks a strange tongue and is in a strange land, and to free her without bond time were small kindness. May I beg the favor, mademoiselle, that you take her in your service, demanding such labor as will requite her support?"

The indignant color flooded Anne's brow. "Sir," she said frigidly, drawing herself up, "we have strange surprises in Virginia, but surely the effrontery of our visitors surpasses them all."

Armand looked clearly at her out of his dark eyes. "Mademoiselle will pardon," he answered, "the error of one of these visitors, who, seeing her face, has overestimated her graciousness and charity."

With this he bowed again till his hat swept the ground, and, followed by the bondwoman, walked down the wharf toward the unloading vessel.

The red in Anne's cheeks had grown to firebrands and her anger lent sting to the half concealed smirks of those who stood nearest.

"Land of mercy!" said Betsy, with emphasis. "What impudence!"

Soon the curious crowd was thinning, Betsy's search was ended, and Anne, having left her seat in the coach, watched at nearer view the disgoring of the cargo.

Here Brooke came primed with a new sensation. This now nothing less than the tale of a fight which had occurred during the voyage between the mate of the vessel and a passenger Anne's eyes were very soft as he finished.

"And who d'ye think," he ended, "was this champion? Why, the young Frenchman yonder that you crushed so mercilessly, Mistress Tilton?"

"And the redemption woman?" asked Anne, with something like dread.

"'Twas the wench he won from Burnaby Rolph."

"Oh!" the cadence was full of liquid self reproach.

"Where are you going?" Betsy asked as Anne rose. She did not answer, but walked quickly across the wharf to the spot where Armand stood. He made no movement as she came.

"Monsieur!" She faltered and stopped.

His hat was in his hand instantly, and he was gravely deferential.

"I wish to take back," she went on, "my words of awhile ago. I assure you they were not rudely meant. I—"

He stayed her with a gesture. "What am I that mademoiselle should speak thus? I was brusque, unmannerly?"

"No, no."

"I forgot where I was—forgot that I had not the joy of knowing her—forgot everything but what I saw in her face as she sat in the chariot. For I am a great magician, mademoiselle. I know all who are lovely and gracious of heart."

"I was wrong," she said proudly. "And for this I ask your pardon. May I have the bond servant?"

He smiled gayly now and bowed low to her. "To be treated with such pleasant surgery all the world would be glad of wounds," he cried. "You recompense me a thousand times!"

He signed to the serving woman who sat stolidly upon a nearby chest and pointed from himself to Anne. She understood, and when Anne put her in charge of John the Baptist to take on ahead a-pillion she went without question.

Betsy watched this transaction open mouthed.

"Did you ever?" she gasped. "I wonder what mother will say to that?"

Armand had stepped to position, hat under arm, at the coach door. "Mademoiselle will permit me to assist her?" he asked and gave her the tips of his fingers. His eyes were bright on her face.

On the step she stopped, half turned, a delicate flush coming to her cheek—a flush that deepened to damask at his look. She hesitated an instant as if about to speak, then suddenly entered, sat down, gave the word to the driver and was whirled away. The secretary stood looking after the retreating chariot.

"A splendid creature," purred Brooke, at his elbow, "albeit you found her wintry."

"Wintry?" exclaimed the young man. "She who is made only of summer, its incense, its colors, its dreams! Yours is an enchanted land, monsieur, and she its goddess!"

"Egad, I'll make a sonnet of that!" exclaimed Brooke. "Sink me, but it's coming back!" The latter remark was applied to the chariot, which had turned and was now approaching more slowly the spot where they stood.

As it drew up Anne leaned from the window. "Monsieur," she called, "I had quite forgot to speak of the indenture."

He drew it from his pocket and held it out to her.

"Such have to be conveyed, I make sure," she said, looking at it doubtfully. "Your delicacy, sir, forbade you to set me right. We shall have to sign and witness a deed and what not, I suppose."

"This a plain indenture," said Brooke, peering.

She drew it away sharply. "Alas, we women know so little of business. I bethink me my father will wish to receipt to you for it."

"Mademoiselle!"

"Aye, but he will. At any rate, you would not be so ungallant as to have me blamed, sir? Will you not ride to Gladden Hall with me? 'Tis scarce a half league away."

"Mademoiselle!"

"Your father is in Williamsburg, mistress," ventured the exquisite. "I chanced to overhear him say this morning he would remain over at Colonel Byrd's until tomorrow."

Anne frowned. "I fear you did not hear aright, sir," she returned coldly.

CHAPTER IV.

FOR some time the two in the coach rode in silence. The way, when they had left the clustered shipping of the town behind them, wound along the reed rimmed bank of the river where phreatic crows cawed to their mates. The afternoon had come with a vivid sky burning to a char on the horizon. The young secretary gazed out of the open window, and through it the wind came, sweet with the clean smell of dry grass. Anne stole a side glance from under drooping lids.

"You are deeply occupied, monsieur," she said at length, with a lurking threat of sarcasm. "I should not marvel since all Virginia lies just outside."

He threw her a smile that softened his clean cut mouth and lightened his eyes. "All Virginia is not outside the window—for me, mademoiselle."

With a woman it is the new sensation which captivates. Mistress Tilton had been used enough to pretty speeches. The beaus of half Virginia had recited quotations to her fan. Here was an unaccustomed subtlety.

"Yet your eyes were there," she rejoined. "Had your thought fled still farther? Overseas, mayhap?"

He met her look full eyed. "Shall I tell you of what I was thinking?"

I have seen many fair ladies in my own land, gracious and kind belike, but few whose charity could reach to an object so far beneath them as a bond woman; fewer yet whose graciousness would lead them to sue for pardon from a stranger—like me."

"I," she answered more lightly, "was thinking of how the frost has set the woods afire. Saw you ever such copper reds and russet golds? And those wedges of pink rock—they have the look of raspberries crushed in curdled milk. God is spendthrift of his hues."

The country through which they passed was hung with the marvelous colors which a Virginian autumn lavishes so prodigally. There were the maroon of the wild rose stalk, the ripe brown seams of butternut bark and the shifting tints the sun lends the frosted alder, the gray lichen and bronze fish spotted with scarlet creeper and stippled mosses like saffron butterflies. Here and there showed the splash of a bluebird's wing or the vermilion crest of a kingfisher.

"It is very fair," he said, "as it should be."

Again a silence fell, while the road swung across forest stretches, under springing roofs through which the sky swam in dazzles.

To be continued.

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## Coming Events.

Apr. 21—Leap Year ball, Norway Opera House.  
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Apr. 21—Old folks anniversary sermon, Unit-  
arian church, Norway.  
Apr. 23—Oxford County Teachers' Con-  
vention, Oxford.  
May 2—Clerks' ball, Rumford Falls.  
May 14—Oxford County Teachers' Associa-  
tion, Oxford.  
May 25—State Prohibition Convention, Port-  
land.  
July 1—Republican County Convention, Court  
House, South Paris.  
July 14—State Democratic Convention, Water-  
ville.  
Sept. 13-14-15—Oxford County Fair, South Paris.

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Geo. W. Q. Perham of Woodstock an-  
nounces that he is a candidate for the  
Republican nomination for representa-  
tive to the legislature in that district.  
Mr. Perham will make a strong candi-  
date and a good representative if elect-  
ed.

The time for the meeting of the Ox-  
ford County Teachers' Association has  
been changed from April 29 and 30 to  
May 13 and 14, and it will be held at Ox-  
ford village. Some talent from abroad  
is expected to be present and take part  
in the meeting.

## Whitened over a Shaft.

Saturday morning, Ed Reed employed  
in the Oxford Paper mill was caught  
about the clothing by a set screw and  
was hurled about a shaft which was go-  
ing about 1000 revolutions a minute.  
When removed from the shaft he was  
dead, the limbs being broken in several  
places, ribs crushed and top of the head  
demolished. He was 18 years of age  
and his home in Windsor Mills, Quebec.  
He had been employed in Rumford Falls  
about two weeks.

## Jealous Man Kills Himself.

F. Scully, aged 35, a Poland, em-  
ployed in the chemical department of  
the international paper mills at Rum-  
ford Falls, made an unsuccessful attempt  
to kill his wife on the street, Wednesday  
night, and then shot himself through  
the brain.  
Mrs. Scully sustained only a flesh  
wound in the arm from a bullet intended  
for her heart.  
Scully was extremely jealous of his  
wife. He purchased a revolver and soon  
after met his wife in front of a store.  
He immediately fired upon her, then  
turned and after running a short dis-  
tance shot himself. They have two chil-  
dren.

## WATERFORD.

Closing Exercises.  
The following is the entertainment  
given at the close of the school in this  
village, Friday, May 14, 1904.  
Music—Marching Through Georgia.....School  
Declamation—Speaking Pieces.....Charles Leland  
Recitation—What She Lacked.....Charles McKinney  
Recitation—Winter Birds.....Emma Wentworth  
Declamation—The Squirrel's Message.....Grace Learned  
Recitation—The Old Kitchen Floor.....Wilson Morse  
The Three Dogs.....Grace Learned  
Music—Sleighing Song.....Charles McKinney  
Declamation—A Fellow's Mother.....Hazel Potter  
Reading—Mrs. Wilkin's Picnic.....Wilson Morse  
Declamation—Sonia in Down.....Charles Leland  
Recitation—Kitty Knew.....Grace McKinney  
Music—March Song.....Hazel Potter  
Declamation—John's History Lesson.....Wilson Morse  
Recitation—The Cricket's Ball.....Wilson Morse  
Declamation—The Duck.....Harold Pike  
Recitation—Contentment.....Gladys Hill  
Declamation—The Renowned Cakes.....Wilson Morse  
Music—I Love the Little Red Schoolhouse.....Wilson Morse  
Following the exercises a bountiful  
treat of candy and peanuts was served,  
after which the children joined in play-  
ing games out of doors.  
Absent of school, 13 weeks. Pupils  
absent 1/2 day, Hazel and Carroll Potter;  
absent one day, Leander Billings. Per-  
fect in spelling, Hazel Potter, Emma  
Wentworth, Clyde Potter, Gladys Bil-  
lings, Grace Learned. Number of pupils  
registered, 25.

Mary Rounds returned to her school,  
Saturday.  
Wm. E. Stone is supplying us with  
maple syrup.  
Guy Dudley is home from Dartmouth  
college for a vacation.  
I. F. Jewett is painting and papering  
the banquet hall in the Masonic building.  
Dr. Simpson's house is being rapidly  
pushed to completion. It is in this vil-  
lage.

Rev. T. S. Perry is quite sick with the  
prevailing cold. There was no service,  
Sunday.  
In the death of John G. Everett which  
occurred April 6, this town loses a good  
citizen.  
One of Geo. Wheeler's hens laid an  
egg the other day that weighed 3 1/2  
ounces.

Lyde Green of North Waterford is at  
Mrs. F. M. Atherton's, also Helen Saunder-  
son of East Waterford.  
The road commissioners are putting  
up a building on the town farm to house  
the rollers and road machines.  
The congregational church is receiv-  
ing a coat of paint. Ward and Green of  
South Waterford are doing the work.

## EAST OTSFIELD.

Richard Lynch has gone to Rhode  
Island to work.  
Mrs. James Jordan of Casco is at  
work for John Kemp.  
Mrs. Harry Brazier has been on the  
sick list the past week.  
Mrs. Nellie Morse has been visiting at  
Peter Wood's and George Edmond's the  
past week.  
Nellie E. Morse came from Portland,  
Saturday, where she has been visiting  
her daughter.  
Mrs. George Dingley and daughter  
Alice went to Portland, Saturday where  
she and her husband will go to keeping  
house on Congress street.  
Millinery opening at Jordan Bros.,  
Harrison, Monday and Tuesday, April  
18th and 19th. See bills.

## Hon. Ellery C. Park.

We take pleasure in publishing this  
week a likeness of the county attorney  
of Oxford County, who in the past four  
years has sustained the best traditions  
of the office and who has filled his po-  
sition with marked ability, courage and  
fidelity, and has been most persistent in  
bringing to justice criminals of every  
class, of which even our county has a  
few.

Mr. Park was born in Mexico, Jan. 7,  
1864, his parents being Henry W. and  
Eleanor (Reed) Park. He attended pub-  
lic schools of his home town, Dixfield  
and Hebron Academies, and Farmington  
Normal school. In 1887 he removed to  
Bethel and entered the office of Judge  
A. E. Herrick, reading law. He was ad-  
mitted to Oxford County Bar in October,  
1890, and immediately formed a partner-  
ship with Judge Herrick, which still  
continues and is one of the leading legal  
firms of the county. On Dec. 9, 1893,  
he married Mary L. Stearns of South  
Paris and they have a daughter Muriel,  
7 years of age.

Mr. Park has always been interested  
in the political world from the Republi-  
can standpoint, served as chairman of  
the Republican town committee eight  
years, of the Legislative district com-  
mittee twelve years, and was chairman  
of the County committee in 1898 and  
1899. In 1900 he was elected to the  
attorney, taking the office Jan. 1, 1901,  
and was reelected in 1902.

The larger duties have not interfered  
in any way with his loyalty to his home  
town. He is identified with the indus-  
tries of Bethel and the welfare of the  
town. He has been treasurer of the Bethel  
Chair company and is at present secre-  
tary of the Board of Health.

In his dealings with the public he is  
always courteous and considerate, sev-  
eral instances of which the ADVERTISER  
desires to acknowledge.  
The picture is published by the cour-  
tesy of the Bethel News.

## NORWAY LAKE.

Iva Kilgore was at her father's, Sun-  
day.  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gerry are at John  
Frank's.  
Mrs. Sylvia Bennett returned from her  
visit in New Hampshire, Monday.  
Little George Eben Marston has been  
quite sick but is more comfortable.  
Little Gracie Flood visited her father  
on Frost Hill, Saturday and Sunday.  
Dr. Oakes of Lewiston was at David  
Flood's, recently, to see Mrs. Asa Frost.  
The Norway Lake School Improvement  
League will have their next meet-  
ing, May 3.  
Wesley Tucker, Verner Mills, Carleton  
Jordan, Donald Wood and Scott Pottle  
all commenced to go to school, Monday.  
School commenced the 11th, Lizzie Las-  
selle, teacher.

Norway Lake Woman's Club meets  
with Mrs. Lottie Crane, Apr. 20. Pro-  
gram:  
Stoddard's Lecture on England.....Mrs. L. Partridge  
Civil Government.....Mrs. M. Partridge  
Story.....Mrs. Edith Boobler

## UPTON.

Mrs. Strickland has been quite sick  
with the grip.  
Bion Sanborn has been to Errol, saw-  
ing wood, and is now sawing in this vil-  
lage.  
We understand that Amen Eid has hir-  
ed the E. Abbott store and is putting in  
a stock of goods.  
Quite a number of men have gone  
from here to drive, some on the Ellis and  
some on Bear river.  
The oyster supper and free entertain-  
ment given by Upton Grange was well  
attended, considering the roads.  
James Bernier, the Upton boat and  
canoe builder, had an order for nine can-  
oes from the Farmachenee club.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Coudelle, who  
were called to Millinockett to attend the  
funeral of their son Scott's wife, have re-  
turned home, bringing their grand-  
daughter, a baby of four months.

## PIGEON HILL.

George Rowe, wife and son were on  
the hill, Sunday.  
James King spent a few days in Lew-  
iston and Lisbon last week.  
Albert Hovey has sold his business at  
Togus and is stopping at J. H. King's.  
Fred Waterhouse with his gasoline  
engine was sawing wood on the hill last  
week.  
H. H. Hall and son, Charles Bumpus  
and Dick Pye were at Emden Farm,  
Sunday.  
Belle Thayer, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. A. D. Thayer, had a birthday party  
at six young ladies and guests last week.  
Mrs. Hutchins remains feeble. Mrs.  
Waterman, who has been caring for her  
for a few weeks, has returned home to  
Lynn, Mass.  
Perley Martin has finished work for  
Charles Davis and will stay at home this  
season. He has purchased a part of the  
Capt. Rich farm.  
Augustus Thayer has been appointed  
guardian for the widow and child of  
Frank Moore. George Moore is admin-  
istrator of the estate.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK.

House-cleaning is now in order.  
Albert Farnum was sick Sunday and  
had the doctor visit him.  
Mrs. David Harding and two children  
went to Auburn last Monday, to visit her  
mother and sister, Mrs. Frankie Harding.  
Hanno and Leon Chushman are at work  
on their pulp lumber at the village, get-  
ting ready to drive it to the Androscog-  
gin river.  
Walter Sessions is at work driving out  
the pulp lumber on Concord stream.  
John Russell of Oxford is working for  
him, also Charles Stevens of Rumford  
and J. Dwinall.

## ALBANY.

Mrs. Isaac Flint is improving in health.  
George Cummings is confined to the  
house with a sore leg.  
The circle at the vestry, the 7th, was  
well attended, considering the weather.  
Archib Cole has returned from his  
winter's work, canvassing for nursery  
stock.  
Mrs. Charles Grover and Mrs. Nahum  
Scribner made some visits at the Corner,  
Friday, the 8th.  
T. T. Cole has tapped about thirty  
trees in his sugar orchard, and is mak-  
ing quite a good deal of syrup.  
Mrs. Belle McNally and her two chil-  
dren, who have been in Lynn, Mass., the  
past winter, have returned for the sum-  
mer.  
Newton Moore, who has been in the  
hospital in Portland for the past winter,  
has returned much improved and is go-  
ing back on his farm.

## MASON.

Cut a Bad Gash.  
G. S. Westleigh met with a serious ac-  
cident recently while sawing wood with  
a crosscut saw. A man who was chop-  
ping felled a tree which struck another  
tree that was decayed and broke strik-  
ing the tree which the saw was in and  
throwing the saw on to Mr. Westleigh's  
hand cutting a very bad gash and tear-  
ing the joint apart in one finger. Sev-  
eral stitches were required to close the  
wound. The ligaments in his fingers  
were sawed off at the joint.

Dr. Reed of Hartford was in town  
recently.  
Alton Merrill was at home last week  
to visit his mother.

Fred Lovejoy has purchased a grapho-  
phone which plays fine music.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tyler have been to  
Harrison to visit relatives and friends.

Arthur F. Morrill has moved to Nor-  
way on to the farm he purchased last  
fall.

Bertha Tyler has gone to Harrison to  
visit her grandfather and grandmother a  
few weeks.

It is said to be a good year for sap and  
many are doing a good business, making  
maple syrup.

Ed Uhlman has sold his nice black  
mare to Portland parties for a big price.  
She was very beautiful.

John Westleigh has finished work for  
G. S. Westleigh and is cutting wood for  
Almon Tyler on the Charlie Brown  
place.

N. G. Mills' horse got injured last  
week, but although she was not able to  
be driven, Bessie Mills did not stop her  
canvassing. She walked to West Bethel  
and other places where she wished to go  
and attended to her canvassing.

## ANDOVER.

The Old Maids' Convention.  
Ellis Glee Assembly, P. S., will give  
the drama "The Old Maids' Convention".  
Apr. 11, at Union Hall. At the close  
there will be a social dance. Curtain  
rises at 8 o'clock. Cast of characters:  
Meribah Lovejoy.....Mrs. Mattie Ripley  
Amanda Howard.....Mrs. Anna Ford  
Priscilla Hope.....Mrs. Carrie Poiry  
Augusta Prim.....Mrs. Amoretta Sweet  
Anna Benson.....Mrs. Emma Lovejoy  
Fredora Bobkins.....Mrs. Isora Marston  
Rhoda Larkin.....Mrs. Ada Poor  
Selma Barker.....Mrs. Abbie Poor  
Susanah Smith.....Mrs. Nellie Dunning  
Miranda Price.....Mrs. Ethel Porter  
Sarah Jane Stry.....Mrs. Lottie Grover  
Eliza Hooker.....Mrs. Annie Akers  
Ester Snyder.....Mrs. Olive Dresser  
Hanson Perkins.....Mrs. Elora Morton  
Anasth Baker.....Mrs. Lizzie Thomas  
Mary Ann Barnes.....Angie Grover  
Annie Horn.....Lucinda Marston  
Amy Little.....Mina Stevens  
Sophia Foster.....Mange Brooks  
Arlene Doherty.....Mona Newton  
Mrs. Helen Kimball, Mrs. Cora Small, Mrs.  
French Chase, Mrs. Clarence Chase,  
Prof. Pemberton.....Malcolm Gregg

Mrs. Nathan Akers is improving.  
Snow is disappearing. The stage goes  
on wheels.

Bertha Poor returned from Portland,  
Thursday.

There was a meeting of the Hook and  
Ladder Co., Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Leslie has gone to Boston for  
visit of a few weeks.

Robert Henry and Fred Newton are  
putting R. P. Thomas' buildings.

W. Mitchell, painter from Frye, has  
been doing work at Wm. Cushman's.

Mrs. M. A. Barnes and son Walter ar-  
rived from Massachusetts, Thursday.

Chas. Newton has made 40 gallons of  
syrup which he had sold before making.

Frank Newton and bride have arrived  
from Boston. She was Mae Field of  
Boston.

Mrs. A. M. Newton, who lives at John  
Hewey's, is quite ill and under the care  
of a physician.

Walter Hanson and family have moved  
from Rumford Falls to Mrs. Sarah Akers'  
in Dist. No. 1.

Mr. Flager, brother of Mrs. Homer  
Cutting, is hanging paper for different  
housekeepers.

Geo. Trott is at French's Hotel. He  
goes as clerk on the drive from Upton  
down the Androscoggin.

Ingraham is improving. The male  
members of the Grange sawed, split and  
piled his wood, last Friday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. society will give a  
farce Wednesday evening entitled, "Mr.  
Poor's Donation Party," followed by a  
dance.

John Gregg, formerly of this town,  
with his family has been visiting rela-  
tives here. They returned to their home  
in Hartford, last week.

Mr. Murray, who has been blacksmith-  
ing in Henry Porter's camp at Rangeley,  
has returned to Mr. Bragg's, where he  
will work this summer.

At a Republican caucus held last Sat-  
urday, Henry R. Porter and Frank P.  
Thomas were chosen delegates to attend  
the Republican convention.

The band is doing some good work,  
meeting every week at Union Hall, and  
by the strains of the cornet by its mem-  
bers, we judge they are improving.

Two young ladies by the name of  
Mitchell have been engaged for schools  
at No. 4 and South Andover. They have  
attended Farmington Normal school.  
Ruth Anderson of Gorham Normal has  
been engaged for the grammar school.

Invitations are out for the wedding of  
Walter S. Fox, son of George and Mrs.  
Mary (Poor) Fox, to Alice Newbury,  
daughter of Henry Hall of Dorchester,  
Mass. The wedding will be at the Uni-  
tarian church in Dorchester, followed by  
a reception.

Lone Mt. Grange, No. 131, P. of H.,  
will hold their next meeting, Saturday.  
This is Sisters' Day. Chairs to be filled  
by the sisters. Committee in charge of  
program, Mesdames O. B. Poor, J. F.  
Talbot, C. A. Andrews, G. W. Abbott,  
Dining-room committee, J. F. Talbot, L.  
R. Hall, O. A. Burgess, J. L. Merrill, J.  
F. Caldwell, John Bailey, F. C. Hoyt, to  
have entire charge of dinner.

## EAST BETHEL.

Maple Sugar Party.  
Mr. and Mrs. Porter Farwell enter-  
tained a number of their neighbors with  
a real old-time maple sugar party Mon-  
day evening, April 12, at their home.  
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## Dr. Josiah C. Donham.

Dr. Josiah C. Donham died at his  
home in Hebron, Thursday, April 7,  
at the age of 53 years. Death was due to  
a large aneurysm which attacked him  
first some weeks since and from which  
he seemed for a time to have been cured,  
but it reappeared in the form of malig-  
nant erysipelas, and he quickly succumb-  
ed in spite of prompt medical assistance.  
Dr. Donham was born in Hebron, July  
26, 1850, in the old brick house now  
occupied by E. S. Donham. He gradu-  
ated from Hebron Academy and entered  
the Bowdoin Medical School, from which  
he graduated in 1886, at the age of 19  
years, being the youngest student that  
ever attended that school.

After graduating he began practice at  
North Livermore where in 1870 he mar-  
ried Rosa T. Thompson. He later prac-  
ticed a few years in Winthrop, was in  
Colorado three years, then returned to  
Lewiston, where he was located for  
about ten years. Eighteen years ago he  
returned to Hebron, and since that time  
he has had a large and increasing practice,  
extending into a number of the neigh-  
boring towns.

Dr. Donham always took great inter-  
est in Hebron Academy, as well as in  
everything else which would benefit the  
community. He was a Republican in  
politics, and represented the district of  
which Hebron is a part in the legislature  
of 1899. He had been superintendent of  
schools in Hebron for the past four  
years.

The funeral of Dr. J. C. Donham was  
held at the Baptist church, Sunday after-  
noon, Rev. A. R. Crane officiating. There  
was a large attendance. Dr. Don-  
ham was held in the highest esteem by  
all. Never was a greater profusion of  
flowers seen at a funeral here. He leaves  
a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Henry  
K. Stearns of Hebron and Hazel Donham,  
a teacher in Edward Little High school  
at Auburn. Among some of the friends  
and relatives who were present were Hon. Geo. Wing  
and son and Fannie Thompson of Au-  
burn, Mrs. Thompson of Livermore Falls,  
Ernest Sturtevant of Dixfield, Mr. and  
Mrs. Harvey Whitney of Boston, Mr. and  
Mrs. G. W. Cushman of Auburn, Mr. and  
Mrs. Hayford and two daughters of  
Mechanic Falls.

## BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Phebe Haskell has been quite poorly  
of late.

Mrs. Katie Blake has returned from a  
three weeks' stay in Lewiston.

Lyman Shedd has sold his work horses  
and bought a pair of driving horses.

A. S. Caswell and wife of Boston were  
at Clarence Caswell's a few days last  
week.

Josephine Shedd commenced school  
in the Chapel district, Norway, last  
Monday; and Katie Wright at Oxford  
village.

George Skillings has given up driving  
the meat cart and goes this week to Har-  
rison to work for Ed Tarbox at the  
depot.

It is sickly here. The family of G. A.  
Haskell are nearly all sick. C. B. Lamb  
and wife and all in the families of D. E.  
Haskell and Almora Haskell have been  
having and are still having what seems  
like the grip only more so.

The incubator doesn't get ahead of the  
old hen in the way of hatching all the  
eggs. George Haskell has a hen that  
hatched 12 chicks from 12 eggs the first  
week in April. Her eggs were from  
Mrs. D. E. Caswell's Rhode Island Reds.

## Ansel Moody.

Ansel Moody died at his home in  
Woodstock, April 7, of general disability  
following pneumonia, aged 79.

Mr. Moody was born on the farm  
where he died. He was educated in the  
local schools and married Mary Estes  
who died in 1890. There were three  
sons, one of whom survives him. He  
was born, reared, and spent his life on  
the farm where he died. His home was  
the center of his interest and ambition  
and he was a model home maker, a de-  
voted husband and father. He was a  
born farmer, consequently an unusually  
successful one.

Although taking no active part in  
town affairs, he was interested in our  
events both home and foreign. While  
belonging to no church and never having  
made any open confession to any reli-  
gious creed he was in belief a Universa-  
list and in character, morals and integ-  
rity his life was a fitting example for  
others to follow.

He leaves one son, Josiah Moody of  
Woodstock and two sisters, Mrs. Eunice  
Howard of Brockton, Mass., and one in  
Berlin, N. H.

Funeral services were held at his old  
home at two o'clock, April 9, conducted  
by A. Andrews. Pastor Rev. Mr. Col-  
son of Bethel. Singing by Bryant's  
Pond quartet, consisting of Mrs. J. Day,  
Mrs. H. Estes, C. Hill and R. Johnson.  
Pall bearers were S. Russ, A. Bryant, C.  
Jackson and B. Whitman. The remains  
were placed in local cemetery.

## LYNCHVILLE.

A Young Team.  
Last fall L. H. Burnham bought a  
yoke of steers for his grandson, Millard  
Palmer. The steers were about eight  
months old when he bought them and  
Millard is very proud of them. He is  
about ten years old and I heard an old  
ox teamster say the other day that he  
could drive them just as well as an old  
teamster. He delivers wood, hauls  
spool strips away from the mill and does  
a lot of work for a boy ten years old.  
Last week he hitched his steers on ahead  
of the two large yoke of oxen and went  
into the woods with the teamster after  
bolts. How is that for ten years old?

Engene McKen is home from Little-  
field.

The farmers are out selling maple  
syrup.

Charles McKen has sold out his two  
horse team and is tending the spool mill.  
He has taken Will McAllister's place.

The mills are running night and day  
so as to use all the water. Proctor pond  
is fast breaking up. The upper end is  
about open.

Mrs. Cephas Cobb has been sick for  
the past two weeks. There is lots of  
sickness. It seems as though our doc-  
tor is on the road the most of the time  
both day and night.

## EAST OXFORD.

Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K.  
Thomas is very sick with appendicitis.

Mrs. Annie Dell Hall of Lisbon is  
spending a few weeks with Mrs. A. B.  
Thayer.

School commenced in district No. 6,  
Monday, April 11, Ethel Cook of Oxford  
teaching.

Dr. Nath. Marshall and Dr. King of  
Portland came Sunday night to see Hol-  
en Thomas.

John H. Whitney and wife of Lewiston  
are with his father, John P. Whitney,  
who is quite poorly.

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taining the best blood-purifying,  
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## Coming Events.

Apr. 21—Leap Year ball, Norway Opera House.  
Apr. 22—Leap year ball, Norway Opera House.  
Apr. 23—Old fellows anniversary service, Unit  
versalist church, Norway.  
Apr. 23—Oxford County Teachers' Con-  
vention, Oxford.  
May 2—Oxford County Teachers' Con-  
vention, Oxford.  
May 13—Oxford County Teachers' Asso-  
ciation, Oxford.  
May 25—State Prohibition Convention, Port-  
land.  
July 1—Republican County Convention, Court  
House, South Paris.  
July 14—State Democratic Convention, Water-  
ville.  
Sept. 15-14-15—Oxford County Fair, South Paris.

## New Advertisements

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Geo. W. Q. Perham of Woodstock an-  
nounces that he is a candidate for the  
Republican nomination for representa-  
tive to the legislature in that district.  
Mr. Perham will make a strong candi-  
date and a good representative if elect-  
ed.

The time for the meeting of the Ox-  
ford County Teachers' Association has  
been changed from April 23 and 30 to  
May 13 and 14, and it will be held at Ox-  
ford village. Some talent from abroad  
is expected to be present and take part  
in the meeting.

## Whirled over a Shaft.

Saturday morning, Ed Reed employed  
in the Oxford Paper mill was caught  
about the clothing by a set screw and  
was hurled about a shaft which was go-  
ing about 1000 revolutions a minute.  
When removed from the shaft he was  
dead, the limbs being broken in several  
places, ribs crushed and top of the head  
demolished. He was 18 years of age  
and his home in Windsor Mills, Quebec.  
He had been employed in Rumford Falls  
about two weeks.

## Jealous Man Kills Himself.

F. Scully, aged 35, a Polisher, em-  
ployed in the chemical department of  
the International paper mills at Rum-  
ford Falls, made an unsuccessful attempt  
to kill his wife on the street, Wednesday  
night, and then shot himself through the  
brain.  
Mrs. Scully sustained only a flesh  
wound in the arm from a bullet intended  
for her heart.  
Scully was extremely jealous of his  
wife. He purchased a revolver and soon  
after met his wife in front of a store.  
He immediately fired upon her, then  
turned and after running a short dis-  
tance shot himself. They have two chil-  
dren.

## WATERFORD.

Closing Exercises.  
The following is the entertainment  
given at the close of the school in this  
village, Friday, Mae Merrill, teacher:  
Music—Marching Through Georgia.....School  
Declaration—Speaking Pieces.....School  
Recitation—What She Lacked.....Emma Wentworth  
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Declaration—The Squirrel's Message.....School  
Recitation—The Kitchen Floor.....Carroll Doten  
Recitation—The Kitchen Floor.....Carroll Doten  
The Three Dogs.....Six Boys  
Music—Singing Song.....School  
Declaration—A Fellow's Mother.....School  
Reading—Mrs. Wilkin's Picnic.....Charlotte Morse  
Declaration—Soleil et Lune.....Charles Learned  
Recitation—Kitty Knew.....Grace McKinney  
Music—March Song.....Hazel Potter  
Declaration—Johnny's History Lesson.....School  
Recitation—The Cricket's Ball.....William Morse  
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Declaration—The Cricket's Ball.....William Morse  
Music—I Love the Little Red Schoolhouse.....School

Following the exercises a bountiful  
treat of candy and peanuts was served,  
after which the children joined in play-  
ing games out of doors.  
Term of school, 13 weeks. Pupils  
absent 1/2 day, Hazel and Carroll Potter;  
absent one day, Leander Billings. Per-  
fect in spelling, Hazel Potter, Emma  
Wentworth, Clyde Potter, Gladys Bil-  
lings, Grace Learned. Number of pupils  
registered, 25.

Mary Rounds returned to her school,  
Saturday.  
Wm. E. Stone is supplying us with  
maple syrup.  
Guy Dudley is home from Dartmouth  
college for a vacation.  
I. F. Jewett is painting and papering  
the banquet hall in the Masonic building.  
Dr. Stimpson's house is being rapidly  
pushed to completion. It is in this vil-  
lage.

Rev. T. S. Perry is quite sick with the  
prevailing cold. There was no service,  
Sunday.  
In the death of John G. Everett which  
occurred Apr. 6, this town loses a good  
citizen.  
One of Geo. Wheeler's hens laid an  
egg the other day that weighed 8 1/2  
ounces.

Lyde Green of North Waterford is at  
Mrs. F. M. Atherton's; also Helen Sam-  
derson of East Waterford.  
The road commissioners are putting  
up a building on the town farm to house  
the rollers and road machines.  
The Congregational church is receiv-  
ing a coat of paint. Ward and Green of  
South Waterford are doing the work.

## EAST OXFORD.

Richard Lynch has gone to Rhode  
Island to work.  
Mrs. James Jordan of Casco is at  
work for John Kemp.  
Mrs. Harry Brazier has been on the  
sick list the past week.  
Mrs. Nellie Morse has been visiting at  
Peter Wood's and George Edmond's the  
past week.  
Nellie E. Morse came from Portland,  
Saturday, where she has been visiting  
her daughter.  
Mrs. George Dingley and daughter  
Alice went to Portland, Saturday where  
she and her husband will go to keeping  
house on Congress street.  
Millinery opening at Jordan Bros.,  
Harrison, Monday and Tuesday, April  
18th and 19th. See bills.

## Hon. Ellery C. Park.

We take pleasure in publishing this  
week a likeness of the county attorney  
of Oxford County, who in the past four  
years has sustained the best traditions  
of the office and who has filled his po-  
sition with marked ability, courage and  
fidelity, and has been most persistent in  
bringing to justice criminals of every  
class, of which even our county has a  
few.

Mr. Park was born in Mexico, Jan. 7,  
1864, his parents being Henry W. and  
Eleanor (Reed) Park. He attended pub-  
lic schools of his home town, Dixfield  
and Hebron Academies, and Farmington  
Normal school. In 1887 he removed to  
Bethel and entered the office of Judge  
A. B. Herrick, reading law. He was ad-  
mitted to Oxford County Bar in October,  
1890, and immediately formed a partner-  
ship with Judge Herrick, which still  
continues and is one of the leading legal  
firms of the county. On Dec. 8, 1893,  
he married Mary L. Stearns of South  
Paris and they have a daughter Muriel,  
7 years of age.

Mr. Park has always been interested  
in the political world from the Republi-  
can standpoint, served as chairman of  
the Republican town committee eight  
years, of the legislative district com-  
mittee twelve years, and was chairman  
of the county committee in 1898 and  
1899. In 1900 he was elected County  
Attorney, taking the office Jan. 1, 1901,  
and was reelected in 1902.

The larger duties have not interfered  
in any way with his loyalty to his home  
town. He is identified with the indus-  
tries of Bethel and the welfare of the  
town. He has been treasurer of Bethel  
Chair company and is at present secre-  
tary of the Board of Health.

In his dealings with the public he is  
always courteous and considerate, sev-  
eral instances of which the ADVERTISER  
desires to acknowledge.  
The picture is published by the cour-  
tesy of the Bethel News.

## NORWAY LAKE.

Iva Kilgore was at her father's, Sun-  
day.  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gerry are at John  
Frank's.  
Mrs. Sylvia Bennett returned from her  
visit in New Hampshire, Monday.

Little George Eben Marston has been  
quite sick but is more comfortable.  
Little Gracie Flood visited her father  
on Frost Hill, Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Oakes of Lewiston was at David  
Flood's, recently, to see Mrs. Asa Frost.  
The Norway Lake School Improve-  
ment League will have their next meet-  
ing, May 3.

Wesley Tucker, Vernon Mills, Carleton  
Jordan, Donald Wood and Scott Pottle  
all commenced to go to school, Monday.  
School commenced the 11th, Lizzie Las-  
selle, teacher.

Norway Lake Woman's Club meets  
with Mrs. Lottie Crane, Apr. 20. Pro-  
gram:  
Stoddard's Lecture on England.....Mrs. Ellen Crockett  
Civil Government.....Mrs. E. M. Farrington  
Story.....Mrs. Edith Boeber

## UPTON.

Mrs. Strickland has been quite sick  
with the grip.  
Bion Sanborn has been to Errol, saw-  
ing wood, and is now sawing in this vi-  
cinity.  
We understand that Amen Eid has hired  
the E. Abbott store and is putting in  
a stock of goods.

Quite a number of men have gone  
from here to drive, some on the Ellis and  
some on Bear river.  
The oyster supper and free entertain-  
ment given by Upton Grange was well  
attended, considering the weather.  
James Bernier, the Upton boat and  
cannon builder, had an order for nine can-  
oes from the Parmachenee club.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Coadage, who  
were called to Millinockett to attend the  
funeral of their son Scott's wife, have re-  
turned home, bringing their grand-  
daughter, a baby of four months.

## PIGEON HILL.

George Rowe, wife and son were on  
the hill, Sunday.  
James King spent a few days in Lew-  
iston and Lisbon last week.  
Albert Hovey has sold his business at  
Togus and is stopping at J. H. King's.

Fred Waterhouse with his gasoline  
engine was sawing wood on the hill last  
week.  
H. H. Hall and son, Charles Bumpus  
and Dick Pye were at Elmnden farm,  
Sunday.

Belle Thayer, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. A. D. Thayer, had a birthday party  
of six young ladies and girls last week.  
Mrs. Hutchins remains feeble. Mrs.  
Waterman, who has been caring for her  
for a few weeks, has returned home to  
Lynn, Mass.

Perley Martin has finished work for  
Charles Davis and will stay at home this  
season. He has purchased a part of the  
Capt. Rich farm.

Augustus Thayer has been appointed  
guardian for the widow and child of  
Frank Moore. George Moore is adminis-  
trator of the estate.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK.

House-cleaning is now in order.  
Mrs. David Harding was sick Sunday  
and had the doctor visit him.  
Mrs. David Harding and two children  
went to Auburn last Monday, to visit her  
mother and sister, Mrs. Frankie Harding.  
Hanno and Leon Cushman are at work  
on their pulp lumber at the village, get-  
ting ready to drive it to the Androscog-  
gin river.

Walter Sessions is at work driving out  
the pulp lumber on Concord stream.  
John Russell of Oxford is working for  
him, also Charles Stevens of Rumford  
and J. Dwinall.

## ALBANY.

Mrs. Isaac Flint is improving in health.  
George Cummings is confined to the  
house with a sore leg.  
The circle at the vestry, the 7th, was  
well attended, considering the weather.  
Archibald Cole has returned from his  
winter's work, canvassing for nursery  
stock.  
Mrs. Charles Grover and Mrs. Nahum  
Scribner made some visits at the Corner,  
Friday, the 8th.

T. T. Cole has tapped about thirty  
trees in his sugar orchard, and is mak-  
ing quite a good deal of syrup.  
Mrs. Belle McNally and her two chil-  
dren, who have been in Lynn, Mass., the  
past winter, have returned for the sum-  
mer.  
Newton Moore, who has been in the  
hospital in Portland for the past winter,  
has returned much improved and is go-  
ing back on his farm.

## MASON.

Out a Bad Gash.  
G. S. Westleigh met with a serious ac-  
cident recently while sawing wood with  
a crosscut saw. A man who was chop-  
ping felled a tree which struck another  
tree that was decayed and broke, strik-  
ing the tree that the saw was in, and  
throwing the saw on to Mr. Westleigh's  
hand cutting a very bad gash and tear-  
ing the joint apart in one finger. Sev-  
eral stitches were required to close the  
wound. The ligaments in his fingers  
were sawed off at the joint.

Dr. Reed of Hartford was in town  
recently.  
Alton Merrill was at home last week  
to visit his mother.  
Fred Lovejoy has purchased a grapho-  
phone which plays fine music.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tyler have been to  
Harrison to visit relatives and friends.  
Arthur P. Morrill has moved to Nor-  
way on to the farm he purchased last  
fall.

Bertha Tyler has gone to Harrison to  
visit her grandfather and grandmother a  
few weeks.

It is said to be a good year for sap and  
many are doing a good business making  
maple syrup.  
Ed Uhlman has sold his nice black  
mare to Portland parties for a big price.  
She was a beauty.

John Westleigh has finished work for  
G. S. Westleigh and is cutting wood for  
Almon Tyler on the Charlie Brown  
place.

N. G. Mills' horse got injured last  
week, but although she was unable to  
be driven, Bessie Mills did not stop her  
canvassing. She walked to West Bethel  
and other places where she wished to go  
and attended to her canvassing.

## ANDOVER.

The Old Maids' Convention.  
Ellis Glen Assembly, P. S., will give  
the drama "The Old Maids' Convention"  
Apr. 11, Union Hall. At the close  
there will be a social dance. Curtain  
rises at 8 o'clock. Cast of characters:  
Melbath Lovejoy.....Mrs. Mattie Ripley  
Amanda Heywood.....Mrs. Anna Poor  
Freddie Lovejoy.....Mrs. Carrie Poor  
Augusta Pinn.....Mrs. Amoretta Sweet  
Faithful Blossom.....Mrs. Emma Lovejoy  
Frederic Lovejoy.....Mrs. Lora Marston  
Rhoda Larkin.....Mrs. Ada Poor  
Selma Baxter.....Mrs. Abbie Poor  
Susannah Smith.....Mrs. Nellie Dunning  
Miranda Price.....Mrs. Ethel Porter  
Sara Jane Springster.....Mrs. Lettie Grover  
Eliza Hooten.....Mrs. Annie Akers  
Esther Snyder.....Mrs. Olive Dresser  
Marion Perkins.....Mrs. Flora Morton  
Lasswell Baker.....Mrs. Lizzie Thomas  
Mary Ann Barnes.....Angie Grover  
Amanda Horn.....Lucinda Marston  
Amy Little.....Miss Stevens  
Sophia Potter.....Martie Brooks  
Society Doherty.....Monie Newton  
Mrs. Helen Kimball.....Mrs. Cora Small, May  
French and Florence Thomas.....Malcolm Gregg  
Prof. Pemberton.....

Mrs. Nathan Akers is improving.  
Snow is disappearing. The stage goes  
on wheels.  
Bertha Poor returned from Portland,  
Thursday.  
There was a meeting of the Hook and  
Ladder Co., Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Leslie has gone to Boston for  
visit of a few weeks.  
Robert Henry and Fred Newton are  
painting F. P. Thomas' buildings.  
W. Mitchell, painter from Frye, has  
been doing work at Wm. Cushman's.

Mrs. M. A. Barnes and son Walter ar-  
rived from Massachusetts, Thursday.  
Chas. Newton has made 40 gallons of  
syrup which he had sold before making.  
Frank Newton and bride have arrived  
from Boston. She was Mae Field of  
Boston.

Mrs. A. M. Newton, who lives at John  
Hewey's, is quite ill and under the care  
of a physician.  
Walter Hanson and family have moved  
from Rumford Falls to Mrs. Sarah Akers  
in Dixfield.

Mr. Flagler, brother of Mrs. Homer  
Cutting, is hanging paper for different  
housekeepers.  
Geo. Trott is at French's Hotel. He  
goes as clerk on the drive from Upton  
down the Androscoggin.

Angela Bragg is improving. The male  
members of the Grange sawed, split and  
piled his wood, last Friday.  
The Y. P. S. C. E. society will give a  
farce Wednesday evening, entitled, "Mr.  
Poor's Donation Party," followed by a  
dance.

John Grange, formerly of this town,  
with his family has been visiting rela-  
tives here. They returned to their home  
in Hartford, last week.

Mr. Murray, who has been blacksmith-  
ing in Henry Porter's camp at Rangeley,  
has returned to Mr. Bragg's, where he  
will work this summer.

A Republican caucus held last Sat-  
urday, Henry R. Porter and Frank P.  
Thomas were chosen delegates to attend  
the Republican convention.

The band is doing some good work  
meeting every week at Union Hall, and  
by the strains of the cornet by its mem-  
bers, we judge they are improving.

Two young ladies by the name of  
Mitchell have been engaged for schools  
at No. 4 and South Andover. They have  
attended Farmington Normal school.  
Ruth Anderson of Gorham Normal has  
been engaged for the grammar school.

Invitations are out for the wedding of  
Walter S. Fox, son of George and Mrs.  
Mary (Poor) Fox, to Alice Newbury,  
daughter of Henry Hall of Dorchester,  
Mass. The wedding will be at the Unitari-  
an church in Dorchester, followed by a  
reception.

Loone Mr. Grange, No. 131, P. O. H.,  
will hold their next meeting, Saturday.  
This is Sisters' Day. Chairs to be filled  
by the sisters. Committee in charge of  
program, Mesdames O. B. Poor, J. F.  
Talbot, C. A. Andrews, G. W. Abbott.  
Dining-room committee, J. F. Talbot, L.  
R. Hall, O. A. Burgess, J. L. Merrill, J.  
F. Caldwell, John Bailey, P. C. Hoyt, to  
have entire charge of dinner.

## EAST BETHEL.

Maple Sugar Party.  
Mr. and Mrs. Porter Farwell enter-  
tained a number of their neighbors with  
a real old-time maple sugar party Mon-  
day evening, April 4, it being Mr. Far-  
well's birthday. He was assisted in this  
jolly sweet time by A. M. Bean who was  
also having a birthday. Pans of snow  
covered with the nicest of maple wax  
was served in abundance and the even-  
ing was pleasantly passed with games,  
music and social chat.

John Walker of the Poland Spring  
House was at F. B. Howe's last week.  
Belle Kimball of Milan, N. H., is  
spending a vacation with her cousin,  
Hester Kimball.  
Susie Tyler is visiting relatives in this  
place. Jennie Swan visited relatives in  
South Paris last week.  
Mrs. W. C. Howe of Waltham, Mass.,  
recently visited her father, J. D. Has-  
tings, who is in feeble health.

## Dr. Josiah C. Donham.

Dr. Josiah C. Donham died at his  
home in Hebron, Thursday, April 7, at  
the age of 56 years. Death was due to  
blood poisoning, which attacked him  
first some weeks since and from which  
he seemed for a time to have been cured,  
but it reappeared in the form of malig-  
nant erysipelas, and he quickly succumb-  
ed in spite of prompt medical assistance.

Dr. Donham was born in Hebron, July  
26, 1847, in the old brick house now  
occupied by E. S. Donham. He gradu-  
ated from Hebron Academy and entered  
the Bowdoin Medical School, from which  
he graduated in 1868, at the age of 19  
years, being the youngest student that  
ever attended that school.

After graduating he began practice at  
North Livermore, where in 1870 he mar-  
ried Rosa T. Thompson. He later prac-  
ticed a few years in Winthrop, was in  
Colorado three years, then returned to  
Lewiston, where he was located for  
about ten years. Eighteen years ago he  
returned to Hebron, and since that time  
has had a large and increasing practice,  
extending into a number of the neigh-  
boring towns.

Dr. Donham always took great inter-  
est in Hebron Academy, as well as in  
everything else which would benefit the  
community. He was a Republican in  
politics, and represented the district of  
which Hebron is a part in the legislature  
of 1899. He had been superintendent of  
schools in Hebron for the past four  
years.

The funeral of Dr. J. C. Donham was  
held at the Baptist church, Sunday after-  
noon, Rev. A. R. Crane officiating. There  
was a very large attendance. Dr. Don-  
ham was held in the highest esteem by  
all. Never was a greater profusion of  
flowers seen at a funeral here. He leaves  
a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Henry  
K. Stearns of Hebron and Hazel Donham,  
a teacher in Edward Little High school  
at Auburn. Among some of the friends  
from out of town were Hon. Geo. Wing  
and son and Fannie Thompson of Au-  
burn, Mrs. Thompson of Livermore Falls,  
the most prominent of Dixfield, Mr. and  
Mrs. Harvey Whitney of Boston, Mr. and  
Mrs. G. W. Cushman of Auburn, Mr. and  
Mrs. Hayford and two daughters of  
Mechanic Falls.

## BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Phebe Haskell has been quite poorly  
of late.  
Mrs. Katie Blake has returned from a  
three weeks' stay in Lewiston.  
Lyman Shedd has sold his work horses  
and bought a pair of driving horses.

A. S. Caswell and wife of Boston were  
at Clarence Caswell's a few days last  
week.  
Josephine Shedd commenced school  
in the Chapel district, Norway, last  
Monday; and Katie Wight at Oxford  
village.

George Skillings has given up driving  
the meat cart and goes this week to Har-  
rison to work for Ed Tarbox at the  
depot.  
It is sickly here. The family of G. A.  
Haskell are nearly all sick. C. B. Lamb  
and wife and all in the families of D. E.  
Haskell and Almora Haskell have been  
having and are still having what seems  
like the grip only more so.

The incubator doesn't get ahead of the  
old hen in the way of hatching all the  
eggs. George Haskell has a hen that  
hatched 12 chicks from 12 eggs the first  
week in April. The eggs were from  
Mrs. D. E. Caswell's Rhode Island Reds.

## Ansel Moody.

Ansel Moody died at his home in  
Woodstock, April 7, of general disability  
following pneumonia, aged 73.  
Mr. Moody was born on the farm  
where he died. He was educated in the  
local schools and married Mary Estes  
who died in 1890. There were three  
sons, one of whom survives him. He  
was born, reared, and spent his life on  
the farm where he died. His home was  
the center of his interest and ambition  
and he was a model home maker, a de-  
voted husband and father. He was a  
born farmer, consequently an unusually  
successful one.

Although taking no active part in  
town affairs, he was interested in cur-  
rents both home and foreign. While  
belonging to no church and never having  
made any open confession to any relig-  
ious creed he was in belief a Universa-  
list in character, morals and integ-  
rity his life was a fitting example for  
others to follow.

He leaves one son, Josiah Moody of  
Woodstock and two sisters, Mrs. Eunice  
Howard of Brockton, Mass., and one in  
Berlin, N. H.

Funeral services were held at his old  
home at two o'clock, April 8, conducted  
by A. Andrews. Pastor Rev. Mr. Col-  
son of Bethel. Singing by Bryant's  
Pond quartet, consisting of Mrs. J. Day,  
Mrs. H. Estes, C. Hill and R. Johnson.  
Pall bearers were S. Russ, A. Bryant, C.  
Jackson and B. Whitman. The remains  
were placed in local cemetery.

## LYNCHBURG.

A Young Team.  
Last fall L. H. Burnham bought a  
yoke of steers for his grandson, Millard  
Palmer. The steers were about eight  
months old when he bought them and  
Millard is very proud of them. He is  
about ten years old and I heard an old  
ox teamster say the other day that he  
could drive them just as well as an old  
teamster. He delivers wood, hauls  
spool strips away from the mill and does  
a lot of work for a boy ten years old.  
Last week he hitched his steers on ahead  
of the two large yoke of oxen and went  
into the woods with the teamster after  
bolts. How is that for ten years old?

Eugene McKeen is home from Little-  
field.  
The farmers are out selling maple  
syrup. Charles McKeen has sold out his  
two horse team and is tending the spool mill.  
He has taken Will McAllister's place.  
The mills are running night and day  
so as to use all the water. Proctor pond  
is fast breaking up. The upper end is  
about open.

Mrs. Cephas Cobb has been sick for  
the past two weeks. There is lots of  
sickness. It seems as though our doc-  
tor is on the road the most of the time  
both day and night.

## EAST OXFORD.

Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K.  
Thomas is very sick with appendicitis.  
Mrs. Annie Dell Hall of Lisbon is  
spending a few weeks with Mrs. A. B.  
Thayer.  
School commenced in district No. 6,  
Monday, April 11, Ethel Cook of Oxford  
teacher.

Dr. Nath. Marshall and Dr. King of  
Portland came Sunday night to see Hel-  
en Thomas.  
John H. Whitney and wife of Lewiston  
are with his father, John P. Whitney,  
who is quite poorly.

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## HARRISON.

Leary Year Circle.

The last regular circle of the season was held at the Congregational vestry last Friday evening. It was a leap year social and much merriment was caused, the married ladies as well as the younger ones appearing with their gentlemen. A beautiful supper was served to over eighty, after which old and young participated in the marches and games until ten o'clock, when the gentlemen were escorted safely home.

Ray Whitney is in Portland attending business college.

D. L. Bryant spent a week in town in the interest of the Topical Bible. He met with very good success.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doughty, who have contributed so much to the social life of the village during the winter, have returned to their home in Naples.

It is expected that Jennie Price, a popular temperance speaker, will give an address here next week, probably Friday evening. More particular notice will be given later.

Frank Moore and Marshall Pitts attended the concert given by the Canadian Jubilee Singers at Bridport Monday night, and reported a crowded opera house and a fine concert.

There is an unusual amount of sickness in town. Mrs. W. L. Grover is quite poorly. Mrs. Frances Walker is quite low. W. H. Bailey and Fred Lamb are confined to the house. Three people from here are in the hospital at the present time: Mrs. Jackson, mother of C. W. Jackson, Mrs. Fred Lamb and Walter Twitchell.

Josephine Shedd is teaching in Norway.

W. P. Andrews has had his entire herd deborned. Chadbourne of Bridport did the job.

Lyman Shedd has purchased a pair of horses of Fryeburg parties, to replace the pair he recently sold to Charles Thayer of Portland.

## GILEAD.

John Griffin of Berlin, N. H., while visiting in Hastings was taken suddenly ill. He was taken to Gilead for medical care where he died. His remains were taken to Berlin for interment.

Charles Rose was arrested, Friday, at the home of Augustus Newell by constable S. H. Moore, on the charge of larceny from the store of D. R. Hastings at Hastings. Money was taken from the store and postoffice drawers. He was tried before trial justice Albert Bennett and bound over to the October term of court at Paris. In default of bail he was taken to jail.

## BETHEL.

Found Dead.

Moses Robertson, aged 72, was found dead in his bed this Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock. As he had a shock several years ago and has been troubled with a weak heart, the cause of his sudden death is self evident. The funeral will take place at the home of his son, W. S. Robertson, in this village Wednesday afternoon, the 13th, attended by Rev. A. D. Colson of the Universalist church.

Moses A. Mason is very feeble. The Taylor family has moved to West Bethel.

Dr. B. F. Bradbury of Norway was in town, Sunday.

The rain Sunday night was an opener to many of the streams.

Charles Mason is improving slowly but not out of doors any yet.

The ice broke up in the Androscoggin river at Bethel, last Sunday.

E. B. Goddard is out on the streets again after a winter's shut-in.

Alphonso Bean will be superintendent at the town farm the coming year.

Dr. Wright has been shut in since Saturday morning caused by bad cold.

The river-drivers are busy on the small streams putting in their pulp lumber.

Erin, E. H. Pratt of Oxford was with his family, Sunday, at A. W. Grover's.

E. S. Kilborn attended the Supreme Colony, U. O. P. E., at Boston last week.

Austin Wheeler is staking out the grounds for a set of buildings on Chapin street.

Mrs. O. M. Mason went to Portland, Tuesday, for a week's visit with her son, L. L. Mason, Esq.

The fire department was called out early Monday evening by a burning chimney of Ceylon Rowe's dwelling.

W. E. Abbott has returned home from Berlin, N. H., where he has had employment during the winter for the Berlin Mills Co.

Moses Coburn has rented Sherman Haseltine's farm in Albany, and Mr. Haseltine carries on the farm belonging to his sister, Mrs. Effie Anderson.

Pension attorney A. W. Grover is now prepared to assist the old comrades to their dues, under the late order and ruling of the commissioner on age rates.

Charles L. Lapham, aged 66 years, of East Bethel, passed away Monday forenoon. The funeral was held at the church at Locke's Mills, Wednesday forenoon, conducted by members of the Bryant's Pond Post, G. A. R., of which the deceased was a member. He was a member of Co. G, 10th Me. Regt.

W. O. Straw will leave, Thursday, for Montana for an absence of several weeks for the purpose of looking out for his real estate interests there. D. S. Hastings of Bethel, who also has valuable land interests in the same vicinity, will go with Mr. Straw or join him later. A railroad has recently been built through land owned by them and the section is rapidly developing. For years both parties resided in Montana on these lands, running them as large ranches, but both have now returned to their former homes in Bethel.

Middle Intervale.

A. M. Carter was at home recently. Herbert Downs, who is living with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver, was called, March 30, to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Fannie Jordan Downs, which occurred at the Union church at Locke's Mills. Her husband is left with a family of seven children, the oldest fifteen, the youngest only five months.

Frank Russell and daughter Maud have been to Framingham, Mass., to visit relatives.

The spring birds are here, singing their sweetest songs.

Grover Hill.

Last year wheels were first used here March 25, this year April 8.

The Whitman brothers are sawing Freeland Bennett's wood pile.

True Browne has been selling hay.

C. E. Barker was around for the inventory April 5th.

## WEST BETHEL.

A Bad Hand.

About three weeks ago, John Murphy slipped and fell back on one hand in such a manner that it turned the hand back on the wrist dislocating the bones of the wrist so it was difficult to get them back in place and since then the hand has been swollen badly causing him considerable pain reaching from the hand to the shoulder but is now somewhat better. John has borne his suffering with patience.

E. J. Bell has men shingling the hall this week.

Mary M. Bell has been feeling poorly for a few days.

A family from Bethel has recently moved into this village.

Mrs. Lillie Moore has been here to visit her aunt, Mrs. E. P. Farwell.

D. D. Fletcher is fixing the inside of his house by papering and painting.

Mrs. Nettie Evans of Gorham, N. H., is visiting her friend, Mrs. Vienna Holt.

Dana Grover of Portland has been here and stopped over Sunday with his parents, E. P. Grover and wife.

The river is free from ice and the ferry boat again in its place and ferryman John Carlton is again on duty.

E. P. Philbrook, who has been sick about three weeks, is now better and again on duty at the store of A. J. Haskell.

Claude Mills of Portland, salesman, was in town one day last week and stopped with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills.

Dana Verrill has finished work in this village and gone away and it is reported that a few others are to leave soon to go where they have other business engaged.

W. H. Merrow is doing some very fine nice work at his taxidermist rooms, by splicing up deer horns and otherwise repairing them. The work is perfect in all its parts and can hardly be detected unless known where to look for it.

While M. Orelly and wife were out riding, the bits broke letting the horse at liberty to enjoy a higher rate of speed than was enjoyable to the occupants of the carriage so they jumped out. The horse went home lively. No damage to persons or team.

## EAST WATERFORD.

Potatoes are very high. None to be had except at exorbitant prices.

Haskell & Rolfe have their pond filled with long lumber estimated at 350 M.

Will Emery paid us a flying visit from Rumford Falls, Saturday, but returned on Monday with his family.

## Information Wanted Concerning Improvements.

The Norway Board of Trade has issued a circular and enclosed one with an envelope in each corporation report with the request that the circular be filed out and handed or mailed to Geo. L. Curran, Esq., of Bethel, April 28. The Board of Trade wants to find out the views of the citizens in regard to these matters.

It is hoped that every circular will be honestly filled out and returned as requested. Fill them out just as you feel. If in doubt as to how you should fill them out investigate and look the matter up. It is important to get this expression as no improvement can be made that does not have the support and backing of the citizen. The views of each person is wanted no matter if you pay only a p. s. t. as an expression of your opinion is wanted.

1. I will aid and assist in any reasonable plan intended to permanently improve the conditions of our streets and sidewalks.

2. I desire that the streets and sidewalks you think should first receive attention.

3. Do you think it advisable for the Norway Village Corporation, and for that purpose I will give my support and assistance.

4. Do you think it is one you think should be the expense of the improvement.

5. If you are already provided with a sewer and do not want one, please so state.

6. If you are opposed to the building of a sewer say so and give your reasons for it.

7. Do you believe or feel that the conditions of our village require a night police?

8. Should this expense be borne by the Town or Village Corporation?

9. I feel that overhead, swinging business signs obstruct the view, and are an injury to the looks of our business section, and those now up should be removed and the further use of such signs stopped.

10. I desire that the electric alarm, telephone, electric light and power wires be put under ground on upper Main Street, and will use reasonable efforts to have it done.

11. Do you feel that the best and topped spliced poles in our streets, should be replaced with better ones, and that all poles be kept painted and looking as well as possible?

12. Should the posting of notices on shade trees, poles, fences and buildings be stopped?

13. Do you favor the acceptance, by the town or Corporation of a Carnegie Public Library, under the usual terms, an annual appropriation of 20 per cent of the amount of money given for the maintenance of the library?

14. If your answer is in the affirmative will you state the amount of money you feel that we could afford to accept.

15. I feel that my neighbor should keep his house, out buildings and fences painted, his yard clean, and that he should plant shade trees to beautify his home and surroundings, but not to obstruct my view. I am willing to use reasonable effort to see that this is done.

## KEZAR FALLS.

Improving the Church's Surroundings.

The ladies' circle is working to build an iron fence around the church yard, and have some plants and shrubbery set out. There are already some pretty trees on the lot and if the same care could be given that is exercised over a well kept lawn, the house that has been consecrated to the Lord would have a more befitting setting.

Mrs. Frank B. Stewart is visiting her parents in West.

Mr. Ruth Norton is confined to her bed by sickness.

The snow has all gone from this locality and the traveling is fairly good.

We heard of one lady planting sweet peas.

Rev. Mr. Peare being afflicted with the prevailing cold, Rev. M. E. Green, of Bethel, preached the text, "They are worthy."

Daniel Elliott, who has been in poor health for some years, died very suddenly April 5th. Services were held at his late residence, the 8th, Rev. William Holts officiating. Interment at Limington.

Mr. and Mrs. Peare were tendered a reception on their return home from Rumford Falls. The evening was enjoyably spent in sociability, music vocal and instrumental, and the reading of an original poem by Mr. Peare. A collation of cake and coffee was served.

## Fryeburg.

Herbert Wentworth has been sick but is recovering.

Caleb Wiley has gone to the Soldiers' home at Togus.

James Blake is going to South Paris to work in the sled factory.

For oranges, lemons, bananas, dates, figs, etc., call on H. H. Burbank.

The selectmen have finished taking the valuation. Now look out for taxes.

Tobias Evans entertained a company of his young friends one night last week.

John Page was taken to the Insane Hospital at Augusta, Tuesday. Warren Johnson and Dr. Lougee accompanied him.

The pupils, who have been at home on their Easter vacations, have returned this week to their several schools and colleges.

Last Saturday evening, Wallace Tarbox and wife entertained their young people who were at home on their Easter vacations.

Rev. Mr. Pitts gave a lecture Sunday night at the vestry, subject, "Manners." Next Sunday night he will speak on "Amusements."

Cordon T. Shortridge has made 135 gallons of maple syrup this spring which meets with a ready sale. More maple syrup has been made this spring than for several years.

## PARIS HILL.

Miss J. C. Snow returned to Paris, Tuesday.

Miss Pierce has been engaged as assistant postmistress.

Mark P. Shaw has sold his house here to George H. Proctor.

Mr. Winslow has returned from a series of visits to friends in Portland, Orono and other places.

J. M. Thayer has sold out his stock in trade to S. E. Newell & Co., who will run both stores at present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Merrill left Tuesday for Boston to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Garland, which takes place on Thursday.

Peering Gill of New York, who spent last summer here, recently sent a generous check to be used for the purchase of new books for the library. Mr. Gill has set a good example for other summer visitors.

Some members of Paris Hill's summer colony attended a reception given by the Maine Society of New York at the Aldine Club, and speak in terms of praise of an address given by Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain upon that occasion.

The Democrat learns that the Hackley school of Tarrytown, N. Y., recently gave an amateur performance of "The Rivals," at one of the New York City theaters, in which Samuel A. Matthews, a popular summer resident of Paris Hill, took the part of Mrs. Malaprop with great credit. In fact, he was the star of the occasion.

## SOUTH WATERFORD.

Two Deaths.

John Everett, who has been sick with pneumonia, died last Thursday morning of heart disease, it having developed from the former named malady. Deceased leaves a wife, one daughter and two sons.

Mrs. Jane (Brown) Hale, who for some time has been sick with a complication of diseases, died at her home last Tuesday forenoon of heart disease. The funeral was held at the late residence of the deceased, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, in charge of undertaker C. D. Morse, and Rev. Mr. Howard officiating clergyman. There were floral offerings. Deceased was the last of the family and has no immediate relatives surviving her. Interment was in Elm Vale cemetery.

Ernest Pike is sawing wood by horse power.

Housecleaning is in order, with rug fever.

It is reported that Wm. Haynes has bought Robbins Plummer's place.

C. D. Morse has finished a fishing boat for Charles Packard to be put on Moose pond.

The drama last Saturday night called out but a small number as the weather was very unfavorable.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Skillings and little daughter visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Stearns, recently.

Mrs. Wm. Nevors has just returned from Boston, where she went to attend the golden wedding of her sister.

Our popular music teacher, Dora Young, has classes at North Waterford, where she goes one day each week to give instruction.

Mrs. Mary Lovejoy intends soon to go back to her farm. Edward Haskell and wife of Harrison expect to move to the house vacated by them.

Frank Dudley and wife, who have been staying with his mother, Mrs. Thirsa Dudley, have returned to Massachusetts. Mrs. Dudley will make her home with a sister in Bridport.

We understand that James Rich of New York, who purchased the Beech Hill mica mine owned by Kimball Bros. & Southworth Co., will arrive soon with his men to begin operations on the mine.

Phillip Green of Bridport is home from Bowdoin college for vacation. He returns soon to take his last year there. His friends about here where he has taught school, are pleased to learn of his success.

## BRYANT'S POND.

Frank Sweetser is on the sick list and unable to work.

Fred Andrews is working for H. C. Bacon this week.

Mrs. Abel Bacon is more comfortable and improving somewhat.

J. M. Day goes to Lewiston and Portland on business this week.

F. P. Cole has the walls of his new barn up and partly boarded.

Dana Dudley's baby died Tuesday night. It has been sick for a long time.

J. E. Hathaway has been on the sick list a few days, but stuck to his job and delivered the mail every day.

The funeral of Charles Lapham was held at Locke's Mills Wednesday. The Bryant's Pond choir attended the funeral.

Cushman Brothers have started their pulp (about 300 cords) down the brook towards the Androscoggin. It is boomed near Milton village, waiting for the ice to leave the river.

## LOCKE'S MILLS.

Little Ruth Stowell has been sick but is better.

School commences in this place, Monday next, April 18, Ruby Smith, teacher.

Mrs. Eva Fox of Bethel was at her sister's, Mrs. Will Bean's, one day recently.

Eben E. Rand of Curtis Corner spent Sunday with his son, Walter B. Rand of this place.

Mrs. Harvey Morton is very sick with pneumonia. Dr. Wright of Bethel is tending her.

Mrs. Oscar Brown and Mrs. W. D. Smith spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. M. E. Cole of Lewiston.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum of West Paris will be at the Mt. Abram Hotel on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 19 and 20, with all the new styles in spring millinery.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Filed With the Several Town Clerks. Richard N. Hall of Waterville and Emma F. Millett of Norway.

## MARRIAGES.

In Oxford, Apr. 6, by Rev. Frederick Newport Lee S. Thomas of Milot and Georgia Y. Farris of Oxford.

In Norway, Apr. 7, by Rev. E. S. Cotton, Ambrose E. Farnum of Norway and Almida B. Rollins of Mattapan, Mass.

In Minot, Apr. 12, by Rev. Frederick Newport, Wm. E. Thomas and Rand A. Verrill.

## BIRTHS.

In Upton, Apr. 4, to the wife of Albert H. Lombard, a son.

In Frye, Apr. 1, to the wife of Victor Hodgdon, a son.

In East Poland, Apr. 6, to the wife of Charles L. Pilsifer, a son—Henry Waterman.

In Paris, Apr. 7, to the wife of Geo. H. Bean, a son.

In Norway, Apr. 1, to the wife of Beverly Trueman, a son.

In Norway, Apr. 6, to the wife of W. H. Hobbs, a son.

In East Otisfield, Apr. 4, to the wife of John Kemp, twins, a son and daughter.

In East Waterford, Apr. 6, to the wife of Albert B. Bean, a son.

In Albany, Apr. 7, to the wife of C. G. Becker, a son.

## DEATHS.

In North Waterford, Apr. 7, Mrs. Hattie A., wife of Fred P. Saunders, aged 53 years, 3 months.

In East Bethel, Mrs. Philena Keene, aged 80 years.

In Bethel, Apr. 1, Clark Foster.

In North Stoneham, Mar. 31, Gilman McKean, aged 65 years.

In Bethel, Apr. 7, Dr. Josiah C. Donham, aged 56 years.

In Greenwood, Apr. 1, Mary E., wife of James Lapham, aged about 24 years.

In Rumford Center, Apr. 3, Burt Kidder, aged 81 years.

In Lewiston, Apr. 6, Mrs. Lillian, wife of Fred Ward of Dixfield.

In Norway, Apr. 3, Mrs. Frances E., widow of Charles B. Cummings, aged 88 years, 9 months.

In Brownfield, Apr. 1, Mrs. Almon Rogers.

In Waterford, John Everett.

In Waterford, Mrs. Jane (Brown) Hale.

In Norway, Apr. 4, Montrose son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Palmer, aged 4 months.

In Dixfield, Apr. 10, John Ward Howe, aged 72 years, 10 months, 21 days.

In Rumford Falls, Apr. 8, Edward Reed, aged 18 years.

In East Otisfield, Apr. 4, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp.

In North Sunner, Apr. 7, Mrs. Miriam Rowe, aged 80 years.



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## Brave Boys and Merry Maids.

A very brilliant and happy dancing party was gathered at the Military Ball, Friday evening, and a most delightful evening was passed. There was a goodly number present upon the floor and the galleries were filled with spectators. The decorations of the hall were very effective, and were most appropriately military and patriotic. The lights were red, white and blue in equal proportions, streamers and festoons of the same color were abundant, while upon the walls were flags in generous numbers. The stage was draped in the colors, several flags being noticeable. On the proscenium openings were crossed signal flags, and the letters "C" and "P" respectively. On the corners of the stage were stacked Krags, while upon the piano were displayed the Governor Hill trophy and the Col. Kendall cup, which is held for a year by this company as a prize for their excellent shooting at the match last fall.

About quarter past eight, Capt. J. W. Nash stepped to the front of the stage and announced that Company C could not arrive until the evening train, and that the time until their arrival would be taken up with extra dances. There were three of them and quite a number of dancers improved the opportunity.

A little after nine the visitors arrived, and soon Stearns' orchestra of seven pieces struck up a march. Major W. O. Peterson, commander of the battalion, accompanied by Lieutenants Jas. L. Palmer and E. J. Carver of the visiting company, and Lieutenants F. A. Hayden and G. A. Wilson marched in and took stations on the floor in front of the stage. Twenty men of Company D under command of Capt. Nash marched on the floor escorting Company C, which mustered eighteen men, commanded by Capt. H. P. Carver. A few complimentary evolutions and the floor was abandoned to the visitors, who went through an intricate drill in a very fine manner. This comprised the manual of arms and a fancy march which included formation of figures, all good, which comprised especially a circle, revolving wheel and company square which were splendidly done. Frequent applause showed the great pleasure which these gave the spectators.

After the drill was done, the floor was prepared for dancing. The grand march was led by Maj. Peterson and Mrs. J. W. Nash, followed by the officers of Companies C and D in order of rank with ladies. There were 58 couples on the march. There were many elaborate costumes worn by the ladies, and it was a bewildering scene of beauty as they moved about on the floor. The order comprised 14 dances and was a very unique one.

The Ladies' Aid Association served ice cream and cake at its termination.

## NORWAY AND VICINITY

Now for the base ball season. Most time for the frog orchestra. Now is the mud, and soon it will be the automobile.

Galen Hill of the senior class in Bowdoin college visited his brother, Arthur L. Hill over Sunday.

Jesse K. Brown has a curiosity in the shape of a four legged chicken that was recently hatched. The chick did not live long and is to be "set up" by taxidermist Nash.

Burning of brush on top of "Jim Hill" mountain this week attracted a good deal of attention. The timber was cut off last fall, and it is being burned over this early to prevent the fire running in the woods later after the snow is off there.

Mrs. Ida M. Crockett of Auburn has sued the livery man, R. S. Bradbury, of that city for a sum of \$10,000 because of the death of her son, Bertie Crockett, a young man 22 years old, caused by being thrown from a team. The wife alleges that the horse furnished Mr. Crockett was unkind and unsafe and the harness unsuitable.

While the frost has been coming out of the ground, during the latter part of the week, a cave-in occurred near the Savings Bank. There is quick sand below and almost every square portion of the sidewalk immediately in front of the bank, fell in. This year also there was a cave-in Saturday night in front of the Tucker Harness Store which necessitated hauling several loads of gravel Sunday morning to repair damages.

Don O. Seitz, business manager of the New York World, and John Norris of the New York Times appeared before the Committee of the Judiciary of the House at Washington, last week, in behalf of the Newspaper Publishers' Association and asked that something might be done to secure an easement of the oppression of the paper trust. Mr. Seitz's speech was printed in the World and shows the struggle newspapers have with the paper trust. Something ought to be done.

## Both Saved Gallons.

Devos is worth \$4 or \$5 a gallon, put on how much is another paint worth? Depends on how many gallons you've got to put on, to be equal to one of Devos.

Mr. J. J. Hall, Sheffield, Pa., painted two houses one coat, five years ago, lead-and-oil, took 40 gallons.

Last summer bought 40 gallons Devos for same houses, had 10 gallons left.

Mr. N. Avery, Delhi, N. Y., owns two houses exactly alike; painted one with Devos; took 6 gallons. The other with some other; took 12 gallons.

What'd you give for those oil paints? Bear in mind, you've got to pay for the painting.

F. P. STONE.

BARRETT.

Mrs. Mary Sewell is poorly this spring. Willie Cushman has gone to Freeport to work.

Mrs. Stackpole of Biddeford visited at F. L. Barrett's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Heald recently visited their daughter, Mrs. Sadie Parlin of Portland.

Mrs. Annie Andrews and daughters Ruth and Miriam of Brunswick and Edith Bradford visited their friend, Mrs. Minnie Barrett, Wednesday.

## Spring Openings.

Friday and Saturday.

The millinery openings came as a surprise to most of the people outside the milliners, it had been such a short time since the snow commenced to go off. Friday and Saturday the millinery stores of Mrs. V. W. Hills and Mrs. G. A. Allen were as attractive and the ladies as eager to see the styles as though they had thought of the matter for weeks.

An unusual occurrence was that the decorations of both were green and white. At Mrs. Hills' the figure "Marie" was on a pedestal of flowers. Picture hats, flowers, foliage, trimmings, drapery in white cords and tassels, potted plants and cut flowers made up the show window. Inside there were natural flowers and garlands of green and white paper.

Mrs. Allen's window had the central figure of a lady in white with a picture hat of white, sunhat, white roses with green foliage, trimmed hats and millinery accessories. Mrs. Allen has 80 trimmed hats besides the ready-to-wear. She had for assistants Charlotte Somers, head trimmer, Ethelyn Cummings and Sadie Booker.

Mrs. Hills has 205 trimmed hats, toques and bonnets. Her assistants were Mrs. F. E. Drake, head trimmer, Grace Neviers, Etta Neviers and Belle Holt.

These hats have all been made, as well as trimmed, in the shops here and they represent a big amount of work. The torpedos and continental shapes are the popular ones. The torpedo is as its name implies long and pointed from back to front with a swell at the sides. In the continental one cannot fail to recognize the shape of the hat of the continental period. The hats are flat, still with the bandeau they set with new faces. We saw some handsome black hats and white hats. The color this season is heliotrope. Reseda green is a close second and champagne color is still a favorite. Tulle, malice, soft ribbons, silks, laces, straw, horsehair, gilt, jet, and fine flowers appear to be the keynotes. The crowns have a pointed effect instead of round, most of them the torpedo crowns, long from back to front. There is also the triangular crown, with the angle toward the front and the width from side to side.

Some of the hats we noticed:—A black one of tulle laid in folds with large straw feather around the rim and falling down from back, gilt ornament and tulle trimmings; large flower hat of foliage crown and rim, white rose edge, two shades reseda green ribbon, gilt buckle; large, flaring black hat with lace scarf draped around the edge; tuscany straw and white roses, facing white ribbons; all black rose petal crown and rim, pom-poms of roses with aigrettes coming from each, shirred rosette on back forming points; a misses' hat of mixed fancy straw (all colors), with quill with several pieces of green velvet ribbon tied on forming a feather; a black tulle crown, 10 yards of black ribbon looped on crown with large gilt buckle in center, faced with black roses; a violet toque, the crown and facing of solid violets, white bunch of roses, violet silk; a white chiffon hat with lace medallions and white ribbons; white and black horsehair braid crown and facing, shirred black ribbon pom-pom; a flower hat of white roses, corn colored ribbon and shirred rosette, white chiffon facing with black lace and ribbon; straw hat trimmed with cowslips, champagne ribbon shaded to deep yellow, cowslips in center of ribbon rosette shirred around it; a red hat, triangle straw crown, malice folds, ribbon shirred about half way up, and red poppies for flowers; castor silk shaded from castor to pink, shaded roses and castor silk and straw medallions; heliotrope shaded pansy rim, tulle plaited, cut steel buckle.

Among the novelties are little straw roses, straw beads, spangles and gilt; several shades of same color on hats shaded from dark to light; gilt fruit, chiffon or lace scarfs, little straw buttons, Jap straws, daggers; yedda braid, gilt braid.

Many of the hats are small in size. The rolling sailor has a larger crown and the rim rolls up. A pretty fancy is to shir the silk for knots, and leave a space not shirred for loops. Very few feathers are used but few streamers. The drooping lace all round the rim of hats. Bonnets for elderly ladies have ties. Children's hats are still large, but they are wired more, so they have lost that uncomfortable floppy effect that has been in vogue.

Miss Libby had an opening at her photograph studio on Cottage street. She sent out some very artistic photographic invitations from her own designs. Miss Libby makes pen sketches, paints and does pyrography as well as photo work.

Miss Libby is now well settled in her new quarters, and she has a pleasant place for her work. There is a reception room, dressing room, operating room, frame room, dark room, work room, enlarging room and printing room, besides an unfinished room for storage.

In the reception room were samples of her portrait work in platinum, sepia and aristo-platino tones. There also were tinted photographs and aquarels.

There were of almost an endless variety of local scenes and views. The Oxford panels and the Paris portraits are large handsome pictures. The Paris portraits are \$10 mounted on any size mounts.

The cloth blue print souvenirs of well known local views are made up into fancy articles such as sofa pillow tops, card cases, brush holders, glove and handkerchief cases, etc.

In the burnt work there are articles of many kinds in wood and leather. The largest is a large case of drawers for photographs and an old fashioned round top table.

Her set of art studies, pen sketches and wash drawings are very interesting.

If you are, scrofulous, dyspeptic, rheumatic, troubled with kidney complaint, general debility, lacking strength, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The National Magazine for April is proof that a good stout "shake-up" sometimes does a lot of good. The National's plant at 41 West Street, Boston, was burned in February. The offices of the National are now permanently located at 944 Dorchester avenue, Boston, but its machinery is not yet installed.

Steamboat service has been established as follows:—Wilson's Mills, by Meadows, to Camp Caribou, Henry W. Poor, 33 Wall street, New York, N. Y., contractor (\$870.00 for the period) 35 miles and back 6 times a week, in safe and suitable steamboats by a schedule satisfactory to the Department from Aylinchos Falls (N. O.) near Wilson's Mills, to Meadows, and with certainty, celerity and security over the remainder of the route. From June 1 to Sept. 30, 1904.

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A. J. Hill of Haverhill, Mass., has been visiting his nephew, Melville Heath.

Ralph Hill, who has been at home on a short vacation, has left for his work at West Fryeburg.

Amy Hill, who has been visiting her mother, Mr. Alon Hill, has returned to her work in Conway Center.

Bortha M. Kelley, who has been staying with Mrs. M. A. Heath this winter, has returned to her home in East Conway.

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